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Wholesale Grocers,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Office at No. 6, Roanoke Square,

NORFOLK, VA.

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THOMAS P. DEVEREUX, Esq., Halifax, N. C.
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C. DEWEY, Cashier — "
W. H. JONES, Cashier Bank of Cape Fear. — "
L. O'B. BRANCH, President Raleigh and Gaston Road. — "
Messrs. Reid & Souther, Dr. N. C. Whitehead, Pres't Farmer's B'k of Va. — *Norfolk.*
Alex. Bell, Esq. — "
Messrs. Spence & Reid, *Baltimore.*
" B. Blossom & Son, *New York.*

September 16, 1853. 87—

"SKY LIGHT!" EVANS & COOKE, *No. 29, Cheap Place*, Have received their entire Fall purchase of Goods, which are now open for inspection.

We deem it unnecessary to speak of their cheapness, as it is perfectly understood by ALL that Evans & Cooke believe in quick sales and short profits, and, as usual, are ahead of all competition.

EVANS & COOKE.

Sept. 12. 86—

LADIES' DRESS GOODS. HEAVY RICH Plaid Silks.
Heavy Brocade Silks.
Heavy Plain Silks.
Black and Blue Watered Silks.
Blapk Gro de Rhine Silks.
French De Lanes, Plain and Figured.
Do Cashmere, do do
Plaid Raw Silks.
French and English Merinos.
85 pieces cheap DeLane.

EVANS & COOKE.

Sept. 12. 86—

PAINTS AND OILS.—A VERY LARGE SUPPLY of all kinds of PAINTS, OILS, and VARNISHES to hand and for sale, lower than can be bought elsewhere, on the most accommodating terms by

P. F. PESCUD.

Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

WINDOW GLASS.—A LARGE SUPPLY OF ALL SIZES AND QUALITIES, kept on hand or ordered, to suit any size sash at very low rates.

Also, a good supply of PUTTY. Dealers will please give me a chance to fill their orders before buying elsewhere, if they want good bargains.

P. F. PESCUD.

Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

CALL AT PESCUD'S DRUG STORE FOR YOUR supplies of American and Foreign PERFUMERY, TOOTH and HAIR BRUSHES, COARSE and FINE COMBS, SOAPS and SHAVING CREAMS, POMADES and HAIR OILS.

Pescud keeps a large stock and sells at a small advance to consumers and the trade.

Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

CIGARS AND CHEWING TOBACCO.—THE Clovers' of the WEED will be glad to hear that the subscriber has received an invoice of Superior Cigars—fine Cut and Lump Chewing Tobacco, various brands, and some Smoking Tobacco, as fragrant as they can find anywhere.

P. F. PESCUD.

Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

RED LARD OIL IS NOW USED BY MANY persons in preference to TRAIN OIL because it is just as good, and much cheaper. A supply for sale very low at PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.

STATE BONDS WANTED.—$3,000 IN STATE BONDS WANTED. Apply at the Standard Office.

Sept. 26, 1853. 89—

LYON'S RAT PILLS AND SALVE. DON'T be annoyed any longer with rats, when you can exterminate them by giving Rat Pills, or greasing their food with Coster's Salve, which you will find at PESCUD'S.

SADDLER, FERTH & ROSS' MUSTARD. A large Case of this Mustard—which is considered the best in the world—by many persons—is just received at PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.

GLAZIERS' DIAMONDS AND KNIVES.—In Store and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

LYON'S RAT PILLS, THE MOST EFFECTUAL remedy ever used for the destruction of Rats, Mice, &c. orby WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

EXTRACTS FOR FLAVORING.—Rose, Vanilla, Orange, Lemon, Butter Almond, Cinnamon and Pine Apple in store and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

TABLE SALT.—VERY FINE AND WHITE in small bags, in store and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

CORN STARCH.—A FRESH SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED at the Drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

DEPILATORY.—FOR REMOVING SUPERFLUOUS HAIR, for sale by WILLIAS & HAYWOOD.

CHLORINE TOOTH WASH STANDS UNRIVALLED for cleansing the mouth and preserving the teeth and gums. For sale at WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD'S.

COD LIVER OIL.—A FRESH SUPPLY of Rushton, Clark & Co.'s just to hand, at the Drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

FLOUR.—SUPERIOR FAMILY FLOUR, OF NEW Wheat, in Store, and for sale by

JAS. McKIMMON.

Raleigh, September 2d, 1853. 83—

CHEWING TOBACCO.—I have seven brands of the finest qualities of Chewing Tobacco, one of which is put up by Y. & E. P. Jones, and claimed the Premium at our State Fair, for sale in packages or lots to suit the trade, by P. F. PESCUD.

Raleigh, November 4th, 1853. 101—

PAINT MILLS.—A GREAT LABOR SAVING MAchine for grinding colors, and one which every painter should have; for sale at the Drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

HADDOCK FISH.—120 BARRELS HADDOCK Fish, in fine order. For sale at a low price.

NIEMEYER & WHITE,
Portsmouth, Va.

Nov. 15, 1853. 1—

RED ASH COAL.—200 TONS BEST RED ASH Philadelphia Coal, in Yard. For sale by NIEMEYER & WHITE,
Portsmouth, Va.

Nov. 15, 1853. 1—

BAGGING, ROPE AND TWINE.—BEST HEAVY Gunny Bagging, 46 inches wide,
Best Dundee Hemp Bagging, 44 do. do.
All in store and for sale by JAS. McKIMMON.

Raleigh, Nov. 14, 1853. 104—

NEW RIVER MULLETS.—20 BARRELS NEW River Mullets, in fine order, just received.

For sale by NIEMEYER & WHITE,
Portsmouth, Va.

Nov. 15, 1853. 1—

JUST RECEIVED, SALLAD FOR THE SOLITARY. W. L. POMEROY.

Dec. 26, 1853. 12—

WOLFE'S SCHEIDAM SCHNAPPS.—A fresh supply of this popular Medicine, just received and for sale by HAYWOOD & SCOTT.

SOMETHING NICE.—JUST RECEIVED AT Mahler's & Co.
2 doz. Spiced Oysters,
2 " Lobsters,
2 " Salmons,
2 " Catsups,
12 " Preserves, Pickles and Brandy Peaches.

Oct. 11th, 1853. 94—

Semi-Weekly Standard.

VOL. IV. RALEIGH, NORTH-CAROLINA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1854. No. 24.

ISAAC PROCTOR, MERCHANT TAILOR, *(Successor to Oliver & Proctor,)* Would respectfully announce to his patrons and the public generally, his return from the Northern cities, and that he is now receiving his Fall and Winter supplies of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, Furnishing Goods and Ready-Made Clothing, which, being bought principally for cash, he is enabled to offer at very low rates.

He has now in store, at the old stand, opposite the Post-Office,

Superfine black, blue, brown, dahlia and other fancy Cloths, of various goods.
Superfine French, English and American Cassimeres, of all prices, plain and fancy.
Superfine Simoni Doeskins, for Pants and Overcoats.
Superfine black Satins and Grenadines.
Plain and figured and fancy silk Vestings.
Fine assortment rich silk Quiltings, for weddings and parties.
Plain and figured Plush Velvets, very rich.

FURNISHING GOODS—A complete assortment, consisting in part of
Superfine plain and fancy dress Shirts.
" 2-ply Collars, large variety.
" Canton Flannel, bleached Drill.
Merino and silk Under-shirts and Drawers.
Silk, cotton and merino plain and fancy Hosiery.
Gloves, very superior kid, black, white and fancy.
Cravats, black and fancy, and a rich assortment for weddings and parties.
Stocks, black, white and fancy, with and without ties.
Suspenders, Dressing Gowns, &c.

In fact everything necessary for a gentleman's complete outfit.

With sincere thanks to his numerous patrons for the liberal encouragement heretofore extended to him, he hopes, by strict attention to their wants, and a determintion to please, to merit its continuance.

Gentlemen furnishing their own goods to be manufactured may rely upon receiving the same care and attention as though sold by himself.

The latest Paris and London fashions just received.

Cutting and repairing done promptly at all times.

He will remind those indebted; six months time is allowed to punctual customers. Those in arrears longer than the above time will please call and close their accounts, either by cash or note, and oblige ISAAC PROCTOR.

Raleigh, Oct. 18th, 1853. 97—

E. L. HARDING, FAYETTEVILLE STREET.—We have opened within the last week upwards of Ten Thousand Dollars worth of superior Ready-Made Clothing, comprising in part as follows:

100 Cloth Dress Coats,
100 " " Frock Coats,
128 Fancy Cloth Sack Frock Coats,
75 " " Box " "
50 Black " Business "

Overcoats.

75 Black French Bever Cloth Overcoats,
50 Fancy " " "
75 Heavy Petersham " "
50 Partridge " "
75 Mountain Beaver " "
34 Flushing " "
100 Tweed Sack Frock Coats,
75 Satinett " "
75 Fancy Cassimere Sack Frock Coats,
50 Black " " "

Cassimere Pants.

100 Black Doe-Skin Cassimere Pants,
150 Fancy " " "
75 Satinette " " "
50 Black Cassimere made whole fronts.

Boys' Clothing.

We have a very good assortment of Boys' Clothing consisting of Fancy Cloth Sacks, Doe-Skin Cassimere Frocks, Tweed Cassimere Sacks and Frocks, Cloth Round Jackets, Satinett Round Jackets, Silk and Satin Vests, Cassimere and Valencia Vests, Fancy and Black Cassimere Pants.

Also, a large lot of Cassimere Coats, Boys' Cloth Talmers, a very pretty style of Overcoats, &c.

We manufacture all the goods we sell, and can safely warrant our goods to wear well. E. L. HARDING.

Raleigh, Oct. 15, 1853. 96—

HAYWOOD & SCOTT ARE NOW OPENING IN Col. Roulhac's new building, on Fayetteville Street, next door above Mr. T. R. Fentress' Clothing establishment, a Fresh Stock of

Drugs, Medicines and Chemicals,
Surgical Instruments,
Paints, Oils and Dye Stuffs,
Window-Glass and Glassware,
Varnishes and Putty,
Paint Brushes,
Fine Perfumery and Fancy Articles,
Best Tooth and Hair Brushes,
Excellent Cigars, Tobacco and Snuff,
Garden and Field Seeds, &c., &c.

All of which are offered to their friends and the public upon as favorable terms as can be procured in this market.

Particular attention will be paid to putting up Prescriptions for Physicians and Families, at all hours of the day or night, and none but the most choice articles will be used.

Raleigh, August 2d, 1853. 74—6m.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.—WE HAVE just returned from New York and Philadelphia with much the LARGEST STOCK of the above that ever was in Raleigh. The stock is too large to enumerate. We have

The very finest Gold and Silver Watches,
Breast Pins, Ear Rings, and Finger Rings,
Fine Razors, Knives, and Straps,
Silver Ware and Plated Ware,
Clocks and Watches,
Pistols and Walking Canes.
Perfumery and Extracts,

Call and see our Jewelry at reduced prices, less per cent than we have heretofore sold.

We are determined to do a large business.

PALMER & RAMSAY.

October 24, 1853. 98—

CHARLES KUESTER, GUN, LOCK-SMITH, and BELL-HANGER—Would respectfully inform the Citizens of Raleigh and surrounding country that he has located permanently in Raleigh, and has opened a Shop on Wilmington Street, (in Dr. Cooke's brick-building,) where he will be found at all times, ready to execute any "Job" in his line, in a style that shall not be surpassed by any other person, and the charges shall always be moderate. *Call and See.*

Raleigh, Feb. 21, 1853. 950—

FRANKLINTON MALE AND FEMALE INSTITUTE.—FRANKLIN COUNTY, N. C. MR. & MRS. D. S. RICHARDSON, Principals. This Institute opens on the 1st MONDAY in January. The two Departments distinct. For a Circular address

E. A. CRUDUP,
Sec'y of the Board.

December 16, 1853. 9—4t.

FALL, 1853.—THE SUBSCRIBER HAS FOR THE past two weeks been receiving his usual large supply of FALL AND WINTER GOODS, comprising a varied assortment for the Fall and Winter trade, which has been purchased invariably for Cash, and which he can assure the public generally he can furnish at prices to please. His Stock consists of nearly every thing wanted by the Farmer and Mechanic, also the City Trade, and would respectfully invite all to an examination of the same.

JAMES McKIMMON.

BLANKETS AND FLANNELS.—9-4, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4 and 13-4 sup'r Bed Blankets, Crib and Cradle do.,
White, Blue, Red and Green Mackinaw Blankets,
Negro Blankets—all kinds, Saddle and Horse do.,
White, Red, Yellow, Green and Gray Flannels, all grades,
Fancy French, Flannels for Sacks, all colors,
In store and for sale by JAMES McKIMMON.

NEGRO GOODS.—KERSEYS OF ALL GRADES, Plaid, Striped and Plain Linseys,
Marlboro' and Gala Stripes and Plaids,
Cotton Osnaburgs and Heavy Shirtings,
Russet & Black Brogans—Heavy Boots, just received and for sale by JAMES McKIMMON.

GROCERIES.—LOAF, CRUSHED, GROUND AND CLARIFIED SUGARS,
Java, Laguira, and Rio Coffee,
Sperm, Adamantine and Tallow Candles,
Sugar House Syrup and Molasses,
Maderia, Cherry, Port and Champagne Wines, Cooking Wines,
Cog. Brandy, warranted pure,
Old Monongahela Whiskey,
Jamaica Rum, Holland Gin,
London Brown and Scotch Ale, for sale by JAMES McKIMMON.

HATS AND CAPS.—FALL STYLE AND BEST quality Moleskin Hats,
Cloth Caps of every variety and price,
Servant's Wool Hats, Black, Brown and Drab, just received.

JAMES McKIMMON.

Raleigh, Oct. 7, 1853. 93—

SOAPS, &c.—VARIETIES OF TOILET, SHAVING, and Fancy Soaps. Lyon's Kathairon, Barry's Tricopherus, Rowlands' genuine Macassar Oil, Bears Oil, Beef Marrow for the hair, for sale by HAYWOOD & SCOTT.

September 9, 1853. 85—

PIANOS, MUSIC, STRINGS, &c.—ANOTHER Lot of new and splendid Pianos, of fashionable style and elegant tone and finish, just opened at the N. C. MUSIC STORE.

FLUTES, FLAGEOLETS AND FIFE'S FOR sale lower than any other House in the State.

Call at the N. C. BOOK-STORE.

Raleigh, Nov. 14, 1853. 104—

A BEAUTIFUL 5 OCTAVE MELODEON with three beautiful Pedals, for inspection and sale at the MUSIC STORE.

ANOTHER SUPPLY OF NEW AND FASHIONABLE MUSIC received at the MUSIC STORE.

HENDERSON MALE ACADEMY, *Granville County, N. C.*—H. D. BRACY, Principal.—In offering this School to the public, the Trustees flatter themselves that they have procured the services of a gentleman pre-eminently qualified to direct it with ability. He comes well recommended as a Teacher of the highest order; a Graduate, capable of teaching a thorough course, preparatory to entering the highest Classes in the University of North Carolina, and from the experience he has acquired in teaching, he flatters himself that he will be able to give undoubted satisfaction.

There is now nearly completed in the Town of Henderson, removed from the business of the place, one of the neatest Academies in the State, which has been built by the patriotic citizens of the place, bringing also to their aid the friends of education round about, and that too at a heavy expense, and it would be suicidal in us as Trustees not to place it on the best footing.

The gentleman whose services we offer to the public is a native of Virginia, by birth and education, and therefore has feelings allied with our own; as he wishes to make this permanently his home, he would ask all who know him to aid in this great work, the education of the heart as well as the head, and when this shall be done he can have the pleasing gratification of knowing that he has performed the part of the philanthropist—the scholar.

Henderson presents one of the finest fields for the encouragement of education in the State, combining health, morality and intelligence. It has also other advantages; it is easy of access, being situated immediately on the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road; also at the terminus of a branch of the great Western Stage Line, affording to all who may wish to patronize the School easy access.

The Scholastic year of this Institution is divided into two Sessions of five months each. The Spring Term to commence the first Monday in January, 1854. The Fall Term will commence the first Monday in July following, and at the close of each Term there will be a public examination.

Board can be had in the Village or country, as may be desired, at usual rates.

No deduction for loss of time except in cases of protracted illness.

We would impress upon all who may wish to patronize the School the necessity of being ready to enter on duty the first of the Session.

TERMS:

Tuition for Primary Course, per Session,	$10 00
do Higher Branches of English, per Session,	12 50
do Mathematics and Languages,	15 00

For further particulars address the Secretary.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

LEWIS H. KITTLE, Sec'y.

November 19th, 1853. 3—115F.

VIRGINIA MANUFACTORY OF CABINET FURNITURE, and Agent for *Nunn's & Clarke's Celebrated Piano Fortes.*—LEWIS SALUSBURY, No. 58 and 60, Main street, Norfolk, Virginia.

It is settled beyond doubt that we are selling lower than any other house at the South.

The subscriber invites the attention of purchasers of Furniture to his stock now in store, and to which daily additions are now being made, consisting of

Rosewood, Mahogany and Black Walnut Bureaus, with and without Glasses, Marble Tops,
Secretaries, Marble Top Washstands,
Centre, Sofa, Side and Work Tables, Painted Furniture,
Toilet Tables, Commodes, Whatnots, Hall Stands,
Stuffed, Easy, Rocking and Parlor Chairs,
Couches, Bedsteads, Sofas, Tete-a-Tetes, Divans,
Ottomans, Window Seats, Crickets, Wardrobes,
Card Tables, Mirrors, as well as all kinds of Cane and Wood work,
Also white and Grey live Geese Feathers, both kiln dried and in the original packages,
Common Feathers, Hair, Palm Leaf and Straw Mattresses,
Hair, Cloth Burlaps, Gimp, Sofa and Chair Springs,
Glass Plates, Wooden and Willow ware,
Clocks, Castors, Knobs, &c.

We would also call the attention of the public to Robinson's Patent Bed Sofas, for which we have the Agency. They are the best article of the kind in use, both as regards the work and convenience, being less complicated and making a wider bed by four inches than other kinds, more than all this they are sold for dollars less. The dealers in Furniture will find here as full an assortment, and as low prices as in any establishment in the South or elsewhere.

UNDERTAKING—Every attention paid to this branch of our business—being constantly supplied with Coffins of every description, both Metalic, Mahogany and other kinds. Immediate dispatch given to all orders by mail.

Norfolk, Oct. 15, 1853. 96—6mpd.

WILLIAM W. HOLDEN, Printer and Publisher of *Busbee's Supreme Court Reports*, &c., begs to inform his friends and public generally, that he is prepared to execute every description of Printing on the shortest notice, and in a style which cannot be surpassed by any other office in the state. Orders promptly attended to.

STANDARD OFFICE, *Raleigh,*
July 30, 1853.

SILAS BURNS, PROPRIETOR, BUILDER OF STEAM ENGINES AND GENERAL MACHINIST. The above establishment has been in successful operation about one year, and has turned out some of the best STEAM ENGINES and SAW MILLS that have ever operated in this or any other State.

Orders are solicited for Steam Engines and Saw Mills, Mill Gearing and Machinery of every discription to be completed during the Summer and Fall. The improved condition of the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road will enable me to fill with dispatch and punctuality all orders after the 1st of July.

The following certificate will show the character of the work executed at the above Works:

"AUBRY, Cumberland, May 15, 1852.

"Mr. SILAS BURNS—*Dear Sir:* Our Engine and Mills, made at your shops, have been at work nearly two months, and fully meet our expectations. The ENGINE, as to FINISH and STRENGTH, PERFORMANCE and DURABILITY, is inferior to none in the State of the same class made here or elsewhere. The MILLS run with a smoothness and speed truly astonishing. In ordinary sawing we cut in a common sized log, 1 foot, in 33¼ seconds or 16 feet per minute. We have run, however, through an 18 feet log in 32 seconds or at the rate of 33 feet per minute, by running to the top speed we fully believe we can cut 40 feet per minute. The only objection we have heard urged is, it takes too many hands to haul up logs and carry away lumber. Yours, &c.,

JONES & BARBEE."

June 2, 1852. 59—

PLEASANT GROVE MALE ACADEMY, *Wake Forest, N. C.*—WILLIAM M. CRENSHAW, A. B., Principal.—The Seventh Session of this institution will commence on the 2nd Monday in January next. Tuition from $7 to $15 per session. The Academy is situated 1 mile from Forestville. The location of this institution for health, morality and convenience cannot be surpassed by any. The Trustees of this school have more than realized their expectations in Mr. CRENSHAW as a teacher, and would say to the public that he is a thorough scholar and a good instructor. Board can be had at $6 per month. For further particulars address DR. WESLEY HARTSFIELD,
Forestville, Wake Co., N. C.

Nov. 23, 1853. 3—tf.

NOTICE TO PENSIONERS. PERSONS ON THE Pension Roll at Fayetteville will have their business attended to promptly by making the undersigned their Agent to collect the same.

Claims for Pension and Bounty Land, for services in the Revolutionary War, War of 1812, Mexican and all the Indian Wars, prosecuted promptly.

Highest cash price paid for Land Warrants, for a Northern Company. JNO. M. ROSE.

Fayetteville, Oct. 28, 1853 100—3m.

Fall and Winter, 1853.

JUST RECEIVED BY THE SUBSCRIBER:

Black and colored Silks,
French and English Merinoes, a fine assortment,
Printed and Plain Muslin DeLains,
Worked Collars and Undersleeves,
Embr'd and Plain Linen Cambric H'dk'fs,
Muslin and Lace Edgings, a great variety,
Ladies and Gentlemens' Gloves, of all kinds,
White and Tan Colored floss skirting,
For sale by J. BROWN,
No. 9, Fayetteville Street.

Raleigh, Sept. 26, 1853. 90—

NEW FLOURING MILL.—THE SUBSCRIBER'S NEW FLOURING MILL is now in successful operation, and he is turning out a very superior article of flour. He is now ready for custom, which he respectfully solicits. The best cash prices paid for wheat.

My Mills are situated within about two miles of Raleigh, on Walnut Creek.

W. F. COLLINS.

Sept. 27, 1853. 90—tf.

A RARE CHANCE FOR CAPITALISTS! By virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to me for purposes therein mentioned, I, as Trustee, will proceed, on the 21st of March next, on the premises, to sell all the property of the SALEM MANUFACTURING COMPANY situated in the town of Salem. And if the bid for the whole property should not be considered satisfactory, the Buildings, Machinery, and Lands will be offered for sale separately, on terms to be made known on the day of sale. Said sale to be continued from day to day till the whole property is sold.

THOS. J. WILSON, *Trustee.*

Salem, N. C., Jan. 10, 1854. 19—3w.

OFFICE OF N. C. R. R. COMPANY,
JANUARY 10th, 1854.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY passed an order for selling the stock of delinquent subscribers, and at Goldsborough and Raleigh the following number of shares subscribed for by the following persons will be sold at auction for cash—provided the instalments and interest shall not be paid up by the time of sale.

To be sold at GOLDSBOROUGH on TUESDAY, 7th of February next, as follows:

NEWBERN STOCK.

Shares.		Shares.
F. P. Latham & Co.,	80 Ed. R. Stanley & Co.	80
Dibble, Brothers & Co.,	80	

WILMINGTON STOCK.

Shares.		Shares.
J. Ballard,	2 E. Y. Kelly,	1
N. E. Brickhouse,	1 J. J. Lippett,	1
Berry & Son,	5 J. D. Law,	1
M. Crauley,	1 Thomas Loring,	3
W. Dastrae,	1 John L. Meare,	2
A. C. Dickinson,	1 Alex. McRae, jr.,	1
J. M. Foy,	1 S. N. Martin,	1
L. J. Flemming,	1 N. F. Nixon,	5
A. C. Evans,	5 J. Northrop,	2
J. G. Green,	1 J. R. Resten,	3
William Gilows,	1 Julius Scott,	3
E. D. Hall,	3 T. Southmoy & Co.,	1
Owen Holmes,	2 W. B. Vann,	1
W. C. Howard,	2 J. Wilkinson & Co.,	8
A. W. Hewlett,	2	

WAYNE COUNTY.

W. K. Lane,	5 C. J. Nelson,	1

To be sold at RALEIGH on FRIDAY, 10th February, as follows:

WAKE COUNTY.

Shares.		Shares.
Jno. Q. Adams,	1 R. R. Jones,	1
O. L. Burch,	1 Chas. E. Johnson,	5
Silas Burns & Co.,	80 John Kane,	2
S. Beasley,	1 J. J. Litchford,	1
J. J. Biggs,	1 Jas. Litchford,	2
J. G. M. Buffalo,	1 Patrick McGowan,	1
W. F. Collins,	5 D. K. McRae,	2
Geo. T. Cook,	1 Jno. H. Manly,	1
W. J. Clarke,	1 Jno. C. Moore,	1
W. D. Cooke,	5 Oliver & Procter,	2
P. A. Dunn,	1 H. G. Owens,	2
Jas. Dodd,	1 W. L. Otey,	10
Dan'l Dupree,	1 Henry Porter,	1
T. R. Fentress,	1 L. W. Peck,	1
W. F. Fort,	1 Jno. Partridge,	1
E. P. Guion,	7 Jas. Puttick,	2
C. W. D. Hutchings,	2 P. F. Pescud,	1
L. E. Heartt,	1 C. B. Root,	1
W. H. Holleman,	2 W. R. Scott,	2
J. B. Hinton,	1 T. H. Snow,	1
E. S. Hopkins,	5 R. B. Seawell,	1
Jeptha Horton,	1 E. Smith,	1
W. D. Haywood,	2 W. Smith,	1
Jas. Iredell,	1 L. B. Walker,	2
Ch. Johns,	1 Wesley Whitaker, jr.,	1
Thos. Jinkins,	1 Ed. Yarbrough,	2
Alfred Johnson,	1	

JOHNSTON COUNTY.

Shares.		Shares.
Jno. B. Beckwith,	5 W. R. Moore,	2
M. Bradley,	2 D. McPherson,	3
Thos. Bagley,	2 A. D. Northam,	1
H. J. Bell,	1 E. D. Nichols,	1
Patrick Ferrall,	1 Calvin Simpkins,	1
D. H. Holland,	2 A. Saunders,	10
Needham Ingram,	1 Telfair & Thompson,	5
J. T. Leach,	5 A. G. Thornton,	1
A. J. Leach,	5	

ORANGE COUNTY.

Shares.		Shares.
R. Blackwall,	1 Jas. M. Palmer,	1
Thos. B. Bailey,	2 Jno. W. Strayhorn.	1
B. A. Finley,	1 E. M. Scott,	1
J. W. Haughawout,	1 W. H. Thompson,	1
F. M. Hubbard,	3 Jas. C. Turrentine,	25
Geo. Jackson,	2 Sam'l N. Tate,	2
W. McCauley,	1 J. B. Tinney,	1
Priestly H. Mangum,	1 Elmore Woods,	1
A. C. Murdoch,	3 Sam'l B. Woods,	1
D. C. Parish,	2 William Ward,	1

PETERSBURG, VA.

Shares.		Shares.
H. D. Bird,	5 W. S. Simpson,	2
W. R. Drinkard,	1 J. W. Symme,	2
James McIlwain,	3 John Stephenson,	2

I will be in Hillsborough, on Saturday the 4th February, to receive instalments.

CYRUS P. MENDENHALL,
Secretary and Treasurer.

January 16, 1854. 18—4s.

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80 TO 90 NEGROES FOR SALE.—HAVING determined to change my residence and pursuits, I will, on TUESDAY, the 21st FEBRUARY ensuing, sell at Public AUCTION, from 80 to 90 Negroes, embracing Men, Women, Boys and Girls. There are among them many valuable House-Servants, Mechanics, and Field-Hands of both sexes. The sale will take place at my residence, Eight Miles West from WARRENTON and Two from RIDGEWAY DEPOT, on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, commencing at 1 o'clock, and continuing from day to day till all are sold.

Terms—Credit till the 1st December, 1854, for approved bonds, bearing interest from date. Cash payments allowed if desired by purchasers.

GEO. D. BASKERVILLE.

Warren County, N. C., 7th Jan., 1854. 17—4w.

JUST RECEIVED ANOTHER SUPPLY OF Musical Instruments at the N. C. Music Store, where may always be found Sheet Music and Music Books for all instruments. Pianos' from the celebrated Factory of Knabe & Gæhle, Baltimore. Guitars, Violins, Violincellos, Drums, Fifes, Flutes, Clarionetts, Flageolets, Octave Flutes, Accordeons, ranging from 60 cents to $15,00, Banjos, Tamborins, Violin Screws, Pins, Bridges, Bows. A new lot of Italian Strings both for Guitar and Violin. A large assortment of Perfumery, Hair Brushes, Porte Monies, &c., &c.

ARTISTS MATERIALS.—A beautiful lot of Landscape Patterns for Oil Painting, Japan Boxes, Paints, Brushes, Oils and Varnish; Canvass in pieces or on stretches.

Drawing Patterns, Pencils, Paper, Bristol Board, Mill Boards, Graduate Tint Paper, Pastel, Water Colors, Pictures, Picture Frames, Gilt Moulding, Glass, &c., &c.

K. W. PETERSILIA.

Raleigh, Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

FINE FRUIT! FINE FRUIT!—TEN THOUSAND APPLE TREES of the finest kinds, ripening in succession, from the earliest to the latest. TEN THOUSAND PEACH TREES of the finest kinds, ripening in succession, from the first of May to July; also, a fine assortment of Apricots, Nectarines, Plums, Pears and Strawberry plants, for sale at the Pomological Gardens and Nurseries, at Cane Creek, Chatham county, and New Garden, Guilford county. Orders for trees should be sent in early. Catalogues will be sent to all applicants.

During my absence my brother, Owen Lindley, will deliver trees at Cane Creek, and my son, Albert G. Lindley, at New Garden. JOSHUA LINDLEY.

New Garden, Guilford county, N. C.,
The 14th of the 10th mo., 1853. 98—3m.

30,000 Dollars Wanted.

THE CAPE FEAR AND DEEP RIVER Navigation Company are desirous of borrowing THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS for the purpose of completing their improvement.

According to the provisions of the amended charter, passed at the last session of the General Assembly, the Company will issue coupon bonds in sums of not more than One thousand dollars, or less than Five hundred dollars—payable in the City of New York five years after date, and bearing interest payable semi-annually at the same place. Ample and undoubted security will be given.

Those wishing to loan any portion of said sum will please address the Treasurer at Pittsborough, Chatham County, N. C., by the 20th January, 1854.

HENRY A. LONDON,
Treas. C. F. & D. R. Nav. Co.

The Raleigh Star and Wilmington Commercial will please copy.

MANSION HOTEL, SALISBURY, N. C.—The undersigned having taken charge of this long established HOTEL, situated on the North Corner of the Court House, respectfully informs the travelling public that it will be her aim to keep up to the fullest extent, the reputation which this House has heretofore sustained for its comfortable accommodations abroad. No pains or expense spared to render satisfied all who may favor her with a call. From her long experience, she is confident none will have cause to complain.

The House will, at all times, be supplied with a sufficient number of well trained and attentive servants, and the furniture kept in the best order.

THE TABLE shall constantly be supplied with the very best the market can command.

THE STAGE OFFICE for all the principal Stage Lines is kept at this Hotel. The great Northern and Southern Mail Lines arrive and depart Daily; also, the Western via Lincolnton to Asheville, Tri-weekly.

THE STABLES attached to the Hotel are large, comfortable, and attended by the very best Ostlers in the country. Trusting that by strict attention to the wants of the public, not only to retain the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed on the Hotel, but to merit an increase.

ANN BROWN.

Salisbury, Dec. 16, 1853. 10—3m.

PRESERVE JARS.—A LARGE SUPPLY of quarts and half gallon Jars, for sale low, by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

IRA BECKWITH WOULD TENDER HIS SINCERE thanks to his numerous friends and customers, in Raleigh and its vicinity, for the liberal support he has received, and hopes by renewed efforts to merit a continuance of their favor. He has just returned from the North, where having in view the wants of his customers at home, he endeavored to select such articles as would give entire satisfaction, both as to price and quality. His stock consists in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, CUTLERY, and FANCY ARTICLES, comprising in part the following:

GROCERIES.—Bacon, Lard, Meal, Flour, Candles, Sole and Upper Leather, Soap, Salt, fine Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars, Sugar, Coffee, Teas, Pepper, Alspice, Ginger, Soda, Indigo, Madder, Copperas, Ink, Blacking, Powder and Shot, Lead, &c., &c.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.—Axes, Weeding-Hoes, Nails, Files, Butts, Screws, Padlocks, Platt Locks, Coffee Mills, Tacks, Percussion Caps, Scissors, Iron and Britania Spoons, Pocket Knives, Knives and Forks, Thimbles, Pins, Needles, Hooks and Eyes, Candle Sticks, Vest Buckles, &c.

Glass and Crockery of all kinds

DRY GOODS AND FANCY ARTICLES.—Blankets, bleached and unbleached Shirtings, Va. Osnaburgs, Bed Ticking, brown Jeans, Kerseys, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Kentucky Jeans, Tweeds, Fancy Vestings, Cambrics, Linens, Cravats, Pocket H'k'fs, Comforts, Flannels, Merrimack prints, Fancy prints, Letter paper, Envelopes, Steele Pens, Pen Holders, Agate Buttons, Coat Buttons, fancy Vest Buttons, Coats' Spool Cotton, Sewing Silk, Flax thread, Cable cord, Corset laces, Hair-pins, Snuff-boxes, Coarse and fine Tooth Combs, Pocket Combs, Ladies riding Side and Tuck Combs, Paste Board, Gentlemen's Chamois lined Gloves, Wool Glo

COMPTROLLER'S REPORT.—CONTINUED.

A Statement of the Revenue derived from each subject of Taxation in every County in the State.—(Continued.)

No. 10.

BURKE COUNTY.

Alexander Duckworth, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	195,004
Value do.	$625,384
No. Polls,	1,445

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$352 72	
Town Property,	44 91	
Poll,	259 06	
Lunatic Asylum,	183 68	
Interest Received,	272 40	
Lawyers and Physicians,	37 60	
Stud Horses,	37 13	
Toll Bridges,	3 53	
Gold Watches,	42 30	
Silver Watches,	4 93	
Pianos,	12 22	
Plate,	13 25	
Pleasure Carriages,	39 48	
Stores,	86 48	
Circus,	47 00	
Taverns,	18 80	
Musicians,	9 40	
Pistols,	2 82	
Mortgages,	10 60	
Harps,	1 88	
		$1,480 29

No. 11.

CABARRUS COUNTY.

M. M. Plunkett, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	227,551
Value do.,	$804,855
No. Polls,	2,373

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$453 94	
Town Property,	22 84	
Poll,	446 12	
Lunatic Asylum,	256 16	
Interest Received,	548 74	
Salaries and Fees,	53 58	
Stud Horse,	13 63	
Gold Watches,	50 76	
Silver Watches,	36 43	
Pianos,	17 86	
Plate,	6 26	
Pleasure Carriages,	131 60	
Playing Cards,	3 53	
Bowling Alleys,	23 50	
Stores,	172 96	
Pedlars,	56 40	
Taverns,	56 40	
Circus,	47 00	
Concert,	9 40	
Negro Traders,	0 91	
Bowie Knives,	0 94	
Pistols,	18 80	
Mortgages,	10 61	
		$2,438 37

No. 12.

CALDWELL COUNTY.

Robert G. Tuttle, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	169,966
Value Lands	$448,827
No. Polls,	942

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$253 14	
Town property,	13 10	
Poll,	177 10	
Lunatic Asylum,	124 14	
Interest Received,	76 95	
Stud Horses,	31 02	
Gold Watches,	15 04	
Silver Watches,	4 94	
Pianos,	3 76	
Plate,	1 46	
Pleasure Carriages,	20 68	
Stores,	56 40	
Taverns,	37 60	
Circus,	47 00	
Pistols,	1 88	
Mortgages, &c.	4 42	
		868 63

No. 13.

CAMDEN COUNTY.

Samuel O. Gordon, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	79,883
Value Land,	$554,799
No. Polls,	1285

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$312 91	
Poll,	241 58	
Lunatic Asylum,	154 68	
Interest Received,	180 42	
Lawyers, &c.,	8 46	
Stud Horses,	15 04	
Gold Watches,	26 32	
Silver Watches,	9 87	
Pianos,	4 70	
Plate,	00 70	
Pleasure Carriages,	35 72	
Bowling Alleys,	47 00	
Stores,	103 40	
Taverns,	75 20	
Circus,	47 00	
Musicians,	9 40	
Pistols,	00 94	
Bowie Knives,	00 94	
		$1,274 28

No. 14.

CARTERET COUNTY.

George Dill, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	142,781
Value do.	$245,757
No. Polls,	1,207

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$ 138 60	
Town Property,	45 27	
Poll,	226 92	
Lunatic Asylum,	113 19	
Interest Received,	104 85	
Gold Wetches,	15 04	
Silver Watches,	7 29	
Pianos,	5 64	
Plate,	0 47	
Pleasure Carriages,	2 82	
Stores,	172 96	
Taverns,	75 20	
Pistols,	1 88	
Dirks,	0 94	
Mortgages,	4 42	
		$915 49

No. 15.

CASWELL COUNTY.

Franklin A. Wiley, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	261,198
Value do.	$1,120,554
Town Property,	124,820
No. Polls,	4,586

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$631 99	
Town Property,	70 40	
Poll,	862 17	
Lunatic Asylum,	431 18	
Interest Received,	728 38	
Dividend and Profit,	28 59	
Lawyers, &c.,	71 44	
Stud Horses,	44 65	
Gold Watches,	138 18	
Silver Watches,	31 49	
Pianos,	48 88	
Plate,	13 63	
Pleasure Carriages,	278 24	
Playing Cards,	11 28	
Stores,	257 66	
Pedlars,	28 20	
Taverns,	75 20	
Circus,	47 00	
Colateral Decent,	139 12	
Negro Traders,	181 79	
Capital Invested,	37 98	
Pistols,	7 52	
Mortgages,	9 72	
Comic Singer,	4 70	
Foreign Ins. Company,	47 00	
		$4,226 26

No. 16.

CATAWBA COUNTY.

Jonas Cline, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	238,863
Value do.	$812,480
No. Polls,	1,457

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$ 458 24	
Poll,	273 92	
Lunatic Asylum,	205 55	
Interest Received,	152 54	
Stud Horses,	27 26	
Gates,	2 82	
Gold Watches,	7 52	
Silver Watches,	10 34	
Pianos,	2 82	
Plate,	1 65	
Pleasure Carriages,	26 79	
Stores,	65 80	
Pedlars Distress,	2 82	
Taverns,	9 40	
Circus,	47 00	
Musicians,	4 70	
Mortgages,	11 88	
Toll Bridges,	2 25	
		$1,313 00

No. 17.

CHATHAM COUNTY.

Robert E. Rives, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	488,671
Value do.	$1,183,855
No. Polls.	4,047

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$ 667 69	
Town Property,	27 67	
Poll,	760 84	
Lunatic Asylum,	402 54	
Interest Received,	334 88	
Dividend and Profit,	6 99	
Lawyers and Physicians,	52 64	
Stud Horses,	52 17	
Toll Bridges, &c.,	2 82	
Gold Watches,	73 32	
Silver Watches,	20 92	
Harps,	3 76	
Pianos,	15 04	
Plate,	19 52	
Pleasure Carriages,	146 64	
Playing Cards,	8 23	
Bowling Alleys,	23 50	
Stores,	188 00	
Pedlars,	56 40	
Taverns,	65 80	
Circus,	47 00	
Musicians,	4 70	
Billiard Tables,	94 00	
Pistols,	7 52	
Dirks, &c.,	1 41	
Mortgages,	22 97	
Capital Invested,	0 85	
		$3,107 82

No. 18.

CHEROKEE COUNTY.

John A. Robertson, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	199,680
Value Land,	$347,068
No. Polls,	822

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$195 75	
Town Property,	17 22	
Poll,	154 54	
Lunatic Asylum,	102 67	
Interest Received,	3 09	
Stud Horses,	41 36	
Gates,	4 70	
Gold Watches,	3 76	
Silver Watches,	3 53	
Pianos,	0 94	
Pleasure Carriages,	3 76	
Stores,	95 88	
Pedlars,	56 40	
Taverns,	18 80	
Natural Curiosities,	14 10	
Pistols,	0 58	
Bowie Knives,	00 94	
Mortgages,	00 88	
		$724 90

No. 19.

CHOWAN COUNTY.

Thomas S. Hoskins, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	128,214
Value Land,	$672,442
No. Polls,	1,810

Nett Tax.		
Land,	379 25	
Town Property,	26 19	
Poll,	340 28	
Lunatic Asylum,	207 57	
Interest Received,	808 08	
Dividend and Profit,	12 69	
Lawyers and Physicians,	37 60	
Salaries and Fees,	2 82	
Stud Horses,	3 76	
Capital Invested,	14 10	
Gold Watches,	64 86	
Silver Watches,	9 64	
Harps,	1 88	
Pianos,	35 72	
Plate,	34 78	
Pleasure Carriages,	63 45	
Playing Cards,	7 75	
Stores,	150 40	
Taverns,	37 60	
Circus,	47 00	
Pistols,	2 82	
		$2,288 24

No. 20.

CLEAVELAND COUNTY.

C. P. Wilkins, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	239,763
Value Land,	$516,745
No. Polls,	1,708

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$291 44	
Town Property,	22 62	
Poll,	321 10	
Lunatic Asylum,	175 87	
Interest Received,	127 26	
Lawyers and Physicians,	8 46	
Stud Horses,	27 26	
Toll Bridges, &c.,	1 88	
Gold Watches,	21 62	
Silver Watches,	12 45	
Plate,	1 96	
Pleasure Carriages,	36 19	
Playing Cards,	4 47	
Stores,	101 52	
Pedlars,	28 20	
Taverns,	37 60	
Circus,	94 00	
Mortgages,	18 56	
Pistols,	8 46	
Bowie Knives,	00 94	
		$1,341 66

No. 21.

COLUMBUS COUNTY.

Lewis Williamson, Sheriff.

Acres Land,	461,053
Value do.	$318,470
No. Polls,	1,232

Nett Tax.		
Land,	$179 62	
Town Property,	5 07	
Poll,	231 67	
Lunatic Asylum,	114 66	
Interest Received,	38 54	
Lawyers, &c.,	2 82	
Stud Horses, &c.,	16 45	
Capital Invested,	37	
Musicians,	4 70	
Pistols,	14 10	
Mortgages,	2 65	
Dirks, &c.,	47	
Toll Bridges,	6 11	
Gold Watches,	10 34	
Silver Watches,	6 58	
Plate,	1 88	
Carriages,	19 74	
Playing Cards,	1 41	
Stores,	125 96	
Taverns,	37 60	
		$820 69

(To be Concluded.)

THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS.—1st SESSION.

SENATE.

TUESDAY, Jan. 31, 1854.

The bill granting alternate sections of land, fifteen miles wide, to Wisconsin for railroad purposes, was taken up.

Mr. Dawson opposed the bill, and thought it ought not to pass—that the policy of the government with regard to public lands should be settled before any more land was donated.

Mr. Douglas moved that the bill be postponed to take up the Nebraska bill, which was the order of to-day, Mr. Chase having the floor.

Mr. Chase said that so far as his personal convenience was concerned, he would desire a postponement of the Nebraska bill. The Senator from Illinois yesterday referred to certain historical documents which required some examination by him before replying.

Mr. Douglas strongly opposed the postponement, and stated that it had already been postponed once, at the request of Mr. Chase, and that it was now the order of the day from day to day until finished. He idtimated that the object was to delay action, and throw the question as a subject for agitation into the elections. He (Mr. Douglas) had refused to postpone when asked by friends, and of course he was compelled to apply the same rule to those whom he did not choose to thus designate.

Mr. Chase. I expect no courtesy, and ask none from the Senator from Illinois. I do not think he is capable of understanding what the obligations of courtesy are. I am prepared to defend the position I have heretofore assumed. The Senator introduced new facts and a new version of history into his argument. I desire to verify my position by the record, and I should prefer time for that purpose. He would, however, proceed now, but it would be at a disadvantage.

Mr. Douglas. I regret to be under the necessity of having one word of reply to the Senator. He says that I am incapable of understanding the obligations of courtesy. I am incapable of understanding that rule of courtesy which authorizes a Senator to write and issue a libel against a brother Senator, to come to that brother Senator with a smile on his face and ask his courtesy in order to get the opportunity to circulate the libel secretly before it can be exposed. That kind of courtesy I am incapable of.

Chair. The Senator is out of order.

Mr. Douglas thought the Senator from Ohio should have been called to order.

The Chair said the Senator from Ohio was out of order and hereafter he should enforce the rule.

Mr. Cass expressed himself in favor of postponing the bill. The Senator from Illinois made a very elaborate and able argument yesterday, and the Senator from Ohio, occupying the peculiar position that he did here, should have the opportunity thoroughly to examine the subject.

Mr. Weller also favored the delay, as the argument advanced by the Senator from Illinois, if based upon facts was irrefragable.

Mr. Douglas. If the delay asked for was only a day he would consent.

Mr. Chase said it was not for a day. His engagements were such that he could not go on till Friday.

Mr. Weller moved to postpone till to-morrow. He was willing to grant a longer delay.

Mr. Cass hoped the subject would be postponed till Friday. All parties would then be satisfied.

The Chair said Friday was private bill day.

Mr. Weller moved a postponement till Thursday.

Mr. Gwin opposed any postponement.

The questions being taken to postpone till Thursday, resulted, yeas 9, nays 41.

So the motion to postpone till Thursday was rejected.

This result was received with laughter, and the interest in the struggle greatly increased.

Mr. Foot moved a postponement till Monday, on the ground that the case of Mr. Phelps should be disposed of.

Mr. Adams was opposed to a postponement of the private calendar on Friday; but, after some debate,

Mr. Foot changed his motion for a postponement of the Nebraska bill from Monday to Friday, which was carried by yeas 36, nays 13.

The Wisconsin railroad bill was passed.

After Executive session, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Richardson, from the committee on territories, reported a bill for organizing the territories of Nebraska and Kansas.

Mr. English, a member of that committee, said he was opposed to the bill in its present shape. It does not meet the approval of all the members of the committee.

Some gentlemen are opposed to the bill because they conceive it conflicts with the Missouri Compromise. But he only spoke as to himself. He did not intend on this occasion to enter into an argument, but merely indicate some few objections which he had to the bill. In the first place he objected to its boundaries. The country proposed to be organized lies adjacent and west of Missouri and Iowa, extending thence westward to Utah, Oregon and New Mexico. The framers of the bill were not content with extending the boundaries from Missouri to the Rocky Mountains, extend them over Utah, including one-third of that territory. He had therefore voted in committee against the bill.

Mr. Richardson interposed, saying he had yielded the floor to this gentleman only for an example, not for a speech.

Mr. English resumed. That was all he had to say about the boundary. The proposition to incorporate the territory beyond and west of the Rocky Mountains is injudicious; although he had no particular love for the Mormons, he was not willing, unnecessarily to take from them so much of their territory.

A most delicate question is involved in this bill. He was a native of a free State, and regarded the institution of slavery an injury to the States in which it exists. Notwithstanding he regarded slavery in this light, he was willing that the States all having equal rights in the confederacy, should have slavery or not, as they may deem best for their happiness and prosperity, and he desired to extend the same privilege to the territories. He was not only willing to give them the right to decide on this question, but he would give the right to decide through the Territorial Legislature.

He was willing to repeal all laws which conflict with this doctrine. He intended to propose an amendment to cure the defects in the bill, which, if so amended, would secure his support, and he might be constrained to vote for the bill in its present shape.

Mr. Richardson said he had proposed simply to send the bill to the committee of the whole so as to afford every gentleman an opportunity to investigate the subject there without first having debate in the House.

One reason why the boundaries should be extended over a part of Utah was that many residing in that Territory had come hither, asking this government to take them from the power of the Mormons. A man who went there thirty-odd years ago to trade in the mountains, and who had built up a home in the wilderness, and had a family, was driven away from that Territory by the Mormons and was here now.

Another reason. The gentleman had stated there is in Illinois and Missouri some prejudice against the Mormons. He had no doubt of the truth of this assertion. There was some prejudice against their practices. If not, there ought to be. They, with lawless hands, make every thing their own, which ought not to be permitted by this Government. Besides, they had indiscriminate—he would not say what. This was a sufficient reply to all that had been said about an unnatural boundary.

One of the great objects of creating those territorial governments is to cover the line of travel to the Pacific coast, thus affording protection to emigrants.

Mr. Davis, of Indiana, supposing there was now to be an extensive debate, called for the reading of the bill.

Mr. Richardson wished to know whether the gentleman wanted it read as a part of his speech.

Mr. Phillips said he knew it was the intention of Mr. Richardson not to bring up the question now for discussion, and he asked the gentleman to pursue the rule which he had laid down, and permit the bill to go to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Dean asked Mr. Richardson to yield the floor that he might offer an amendment.

Mr. Richardson refused, and moved the bill be referred to the committee of the whole, and be printed, in order to avoid difficulties and not be drawn into a debate now. Voices, "That's right." "Hold on to the motion."

Mr. Preston. The previous question has been moved, and I think it is the general sense of the House that the bill should go to the committee of the whole on the state of the Union.

Speaker. The discussion is not in order.

Mr. Dean gave notice of an amendment which he intends to offer, as follows:

"Add to the fourteenth section—provided that nothing in this bill contained shall be so construed to legalize or establish slavery or involuntary servitude within the said territories or either of them."

The Speaker said that the notice of introduction of an amendment must be by general consent.

Mr. Edgerton. I make an appeal to the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. Richardson) to withdraw his motion to offer a substitute for the bill. If he does not do it, I shall give notice I will offer the Nebraska bill of last session.

Mr. Giddings. That'll do.

Mr. Richardson. I should like to accommodate the gentleman, as I am good natured now, [laughter,] but they can give their several notices. I demand the previous question.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole on the state of the Union.

Mr. English asked leave to make a report from the minority of the committee, and moved that it be printed.

Mr. Bridges objected.

The Speaker said such a privilege was never denied.

Mr. Jones, of Tennessee. Is it not the privilge of the House to decide whether the report shall be made?

Mr. Clingman. That is the rule.

The report of the minority was received, and ordered to be printed—only one member voting nay.

Mr. Farley, as a member of the committee on Territories, said he did not concur in the report made.

Mr. Taylor, of Ohio, another member, said the minority had agreed on a formal report. The vote on the bill by the committee stood five to three. He voted against the bill. If any is to be passed, he preferred the one of last session with modifications. They had not had time to examine the question. He had signed neither report.

Mr. Ritchie, of Pennsylvania, from the committee on roads and canals, reported a bill ceding to Illinois that part of the Cumberland road together with the stone, timber and other materials, lying within said State. Passed.

The House then went into committee of the whole on the state of the Union on the deficiency appropriation bill. Several amendments for Custom-houses in Wilmington and Cincinnati were discussed.

The Committee rose without determination, and the House adjourned.

WADNESDAY, Feb. 1. SENATE.—Mr. Brodhead submitted a resolution in relation to the establishment of a national foundry; which was amended and agreed to.

Mr. Slidell submitted a resolution in relation to taking off the injunction of secrecy as to the votes on nominations; which was amended and agreed to.

The question of privilege, in regard to the right of Hon. S. S. Phelps to a seat in the Senate, was taken up; and Mr. Bayard, who was entitled to the floor, gave way, to allow Mr. Williams to make a few remarks in support of the views of the majority of the committee; after which, Mr. Bayard spoke at some length on the other side of the question. It is expected that Mr Butler will speak to-morrow, also in support of the views of the minority of the committee.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The Speaker laid before the House the report of the Commissioner of Patents; which was referred to the Committee on Printing, with instructions to consider whether 50,000 or 100,000 copies be printed. Mr. Jones, of New York, moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill making it a misdemeanor to abstract the mail on railroads was referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union. After considerable debate, arising out of the recent telegraphic despatch from Erie relative to the renewed attack of the people on the railroad track, the motion to reconsider was agreed to. Pending the motion on the third reading of the bill, the House went into committee on the deficiency bill, which was not disposed of when the committee rose, and the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, Feb. 2. SENATE.—Mr. Bright submitted a resolution, which was adopted, calling on the President for copies of all communications from the American legation at Constantinople respecting the seizure of Martin Koszta by Austrian authorities at Smyrna.

The question of privilege, in regard to the right of Hon. Samuel S. Phelps to a seat in the Senate, was taken up, and Messrs. Butler, Badger and Phelps spoke thereon; when, on motion by Mr. Pratt, the further consideration of the subject was postponed until Thursday next.

After the consideration of executive business, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The Speaker laid before the House the annual report of the director of the mint at Philadelphia, which was ordered to be printed. On motion of Mr. Jones, of Tennessee, the House went into committee on the deficiency bill, to which several amendments were made. The committee rose without disposing of the bill. Mr. Dean presented a joint resolution from the legislature of New York in relation to the protection of passengers by emigrant vessels, after which the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, Feb. 3. SENATE.—The private calendar was taken up and a number of bills were passed.

The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of the Nebraska bill, and Mr. Chase spoke at length thereon. Having concluded his remarks, Mr. Dixon obtained the floor. An attempt was made to adjourn over until Monday, which was unsuccessful; whereupon, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The Speaker laid before the House a message from the President, transmitting the correspondence between the State Department and the American charge d'affaires at Austria in reference to persons claiming the protection of the United States government; also Communications from the Treasury Department, Department of the Interior, and the Navy Department—all of which were appropriately disposed of. Being private bill-day, the House went into committee on the private calender, and reported several bills. The House read a third time and passed numerous private bills, and then adjourned until Monday.

30,000 Dollars Wanted.

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HENRY A. LONDON,
Treas. C. F. & D. R. Nav. Co.

[The Raleigh Star and Register will please copy.]

NORMAL COLLEGE.—*His Excellency*, D. S. REID ex-officio President of the Board of Trustees. Rev. B. CRAVEN, A. M. President of the Faculty, and Professor of Languages. W. MAC ROBBINS, A. B. Professor of Mathematics. ———, Professor of Natural Science. Rev. A. S. ANDREWS, Professor of English Literature. LEWIS JOHNSON, A. B., Tutor.

The Spring Session will commence on the 1st of March. Applicants for admission into the regular classes, and candidates for State Certificates should be present on the first day of the Session. Entire expense for Tuition, Board, Washing, &c. from $40 to $50 per session. For particulars address the President of the Faculty, Normal College, N. C.

C. H. WILEY,
Ex-officio Secretary of the Board of Trustees.

February 7, 1854. 1009—2w.

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The Standard.

RALEIGH, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 8, 1854.

WHIG MOVEMENTS.

The Whig Convention for this State will assemble in this place on the 21st instant, and meetings are being held here and there to appoint delegates. We had intended to review at some length the proceedings of the Guilford and Hertford meetings, as it is probable these proceedings indicate with some degree of certainty what will be the action of the Convention itself; but we have been prevented from doing so by the space occupied in our columns by the Comptroller's Report. It is time enough, however, for the arguments on State issues.

The Guilford meeting was moved and managed by that venerable political sinner, John A. Gilmer, Esq. His Resolutions are in entire keeping with his character as a public man—unfair, one-sided, irrelevant to the time, and marked by bitter hostility to Democracy and popular rights. The Hertford meeting was gotten up under the auspices of that most *decided* and *consistent* Whig, the Hon. Kenneth Rayner; and these Resolutions, too, are suggestive of the antecedents of the man who drew them. Mr. Gilmer has, for years, shaken in the breeze political between Free Suffrage by legislative enactment and an open Convention on the Federal basis, with the view to a change of the basis generally; but any one who will examine his course, and reduce his remarks upon the subject to plain English, must see that his advocacy of Free Suffrage is all pretence, and that his main and most darling object is to upset the existing compromises of the Constitution. His organ, the Greensborough Patriot, loses no occasion to dilate on the alleged inequality of the Senatorial basis, going at times almost into tears (of the crocodile order) over the spectacle, which exists only in the imagination of that interesting print, of one white man in Onslow outvoting five white men in Buncombe. The Patriot pipeth unto Buncombe, but Buncombe listeneth not; the Patriot waxeth sad in view of Whig disasters, to be occasioned by the strength of Free Suffrage as a separate and independent measure, and yet no one seriously encourageth its melancholy mood; the Patriot resorteth to artistic efforts to arouse the people against what it terms "Reid's hobby," and calleth hard names with as much assurance and particularity as if it had searched the dictionary for its epithets; and yet notwithstanding all this the great West stands where it was on the subject of Constitutional Reform, and Whiggery continues to decline, as it began to do, in 1848, in all portions of the State.

Nor is the course of Mr. Rayner on this subject less vascillating or insidious than that of Mr. Gilmer. One of the most timid of our public men, it is natural that he should oppose with caution so popular and powerful a measure as that of Free Suffrage; one of the most ambitious in his own party, it is no matter for surprise that he should so endeavor to shape his action on this subject as to obtain the confidence and enlist in his behalf the prejudices of all sections of the State. The Hertford Resolutions are but the index to his policy; but Mr. Rayner will find, as all temporizing and unreliable politicians have found heretofore, that the people are competent to form their own opinions on public affairs, and that they give their confidence only to such as have shown themselves entitled to it by a straightforward, frank, and consistent course of action.

It appears to be more than probable, judging from the tone of the proceedings of Whig meetings, that their Convention will take ground for a free Convention to amend the Constitution. No one can, however, predict with any certainty what they will do; they may lay down no platform whatever, but content themselves with general declarations and with saving the State with a hurrah and much flashy eloquence on the 22d of February, it being the anniversary of the battle of Buena Vista. Very well—we are ready for any revelations or movements that may be made; and we shall not, therefore, give ourselves undue concern about what our opponents may do or say.

THE DIFFERENCE. It is a significant fact that while Whig meetings in various parts of the State, and many Whigs in the central and Eastern sections, are taking ground for an unrestricted Convention, the Democracy of Western Carolina are standing firmly by Free Suffrage by legislative enactment, and by the basis of representation as it is. The people can here see for themselves the difference between a party which goes for what is deemed *expedient* for the time, and a party of *principle*. Aye, the people!—for whatever Whig politicians may do or say, the appeal is at least to the people, who can have no motive to do wrong, and who seldom err in their decisions on public questions.

MR. COPELAND, THE ARTIST. We visited Mr. Copeland's room a day or two since, and were much pleased with some paintings which we saw. Mr. Copeland has finished the likenesses of Prof. Deems, Dr. Scott, Mr. Gorman, and Dr. Tompkins; and is now engaged upon the likeness of his Excellency Gov. Reid. He has also made an excellent copy of a likeness of Mr. Moore, deceased, the father of B. F. Moore, Esq.

Mr. Copeland is a native artist of much genius, and we trust he will be liberally encouraged. We are gratified to learn that he expects to reside permanently among us.

☞ Capt. William Nichols, referred to in the Standard of the 7th January, as having died recently in Mississippi, was the architect who designed and executed the very great improvements made upon our old State House, which was completed in 1822, and burned down in 1831. He was an Englishman, eminently skilled in his profession, and traces of improvement introduced by him are now discoverable in every section of the State. The cottage erected a mile north of this City, on the road to Petersburg, by the late Moses Mordecai, Esq., was designed by him, and was the earliest specimen of that order of architecture among us.

NEW STORE. Messrs. W. J. & A. S. LOUGEE have just completed a store on Fayetteville Street, two doors above B. B. Smith's corner, which is highly creditable to them as enterprising men, as well as to the workmen employed in erecting and finishing it. It fronts twenty feet, and is sixty feet deep. It is an excellent stand for business.

The brick work was executed by Mr. Palmer, the carpenter's work by Messrs. H. & D. Royster, the stone work by Mr. Puttick, the plastering by E. E. Jarvis, and the painting by Mr. Overby.

☞ We learn that Judges Caldwell and Bailey have exchanged Circuits, at the request of the latter. Judge Bailey will ride the Edenton, and Judge Caldwell the Raleigh Circuit.

COUNCIL OF STATE. We understand Gov. Reid, has notified the Council of State to meet in Raleigh on Thursday the 23d of this month.

THE DEMOCRACY IN MOTION.

We publish to-day the proceedings of two Democratic meetings—one in Mecklenburg, and the other in Madison. The Charlotte Democrat says of the Mecklenburg meeting:

"On Tuesday last, the Democrats of this County held a meeting and appointed 20 delegates to attend the Convention to be held at Raleigh, to nominate a candidate for Governor. Capt. John Walker, that unflinching Democrat and able champion of our cause, presided, who, for the short time allowed by the Court, had to content himself with making a very few remarks, briefly setting forth the object of the meeting. The proceedings will be found in another column—which, after an appropriate compliment to our present Governor for the highly satisfactory manner he has discharged the trust reposed in him, expressed the utmost confidence in the determination of President Pierce to meet the high expectations of his friends, and to make his Administration a bright epoch in the history of Democracy, re-affirmed the orthodoxy of the platform of the late State and National Conventions. The Democracy of Mecklenburg are as true as they were in the days of seventy-six. No disorganizer could raise his head on her soil and live. In the coming canvass they will be united to a man, and with an increased majority will send our standard-bearer on his way to the mountains rejoicing.

The meeting did not recommend any particular man as the candidate, but will support the nominee whoever he may be, having the fullest confidence in the patriotism and soundness of the nominating Convention. We trust some of the delegates may find it convenient to attend."

The Madison Resolutions were introduced by that sterling Democrat, J. B. Jervis, Esq., and an excellent speech was delivered by David Coleman, Esq., who is doing "yeoman's service" in the cause. The Madison meeting, it will be observed, expressed a preference for W. W. Avery, Esq., for Governor.

The old Democratic spirit is beginning to manifest itself—the party is what it was, a unit upon all essential points; and this spirit will gather force and fire until the election, not only of a Democratic Governor, but of a Democratic Legislature, if our friends in all the Counties will only prove true to themselves and to their cherished cause. Let us all adhere with more firmness than ever to the maxim—"conciliation, compromise, harmony—every thing for the cause, nothing for men." Let us unite as one man to discourage all disorganization, and let us spare no honest efforts to avail ourselves of all our strength in contests in the various Counties for members of Assembly.

It is highly important that the State Convention should be a full one; and we trust that *all* the Counties in the State will hold meetings, and appoint delegates who will be certain to attend.

SUPREME COURT.

THURSDAY, Feb. 2. Boyle v. Hanks, from Washington, argued by Smith for plaintiff.

Pettijohn v. Williams, from Chowan, argued by Bragg and Heath for plaintiff and Biggs and Smith for defendant.

White v. Costin, from Chowan, argued by Heath for plaintiff and Bragg and Smith for defendant.

Spruill v. Life Insurance Company, from Washington, argued by Heath for plaintiff and Smith and Busbee for defendant.

Spruill v. Davenport, from Washington, argued by Smith and Heath for plaintiff and Moore for defendant.

FRIDAY, Feb. 3. Moore v. Piercy, from Chowan, argued by Smith and Heath for plaintiff.

McKonkey v. Gaylord, from Washington, argued by Heath and Smith for defendant.

Anderson v. Holloman, from Hertford, argued by Bragg for defendant.

Gilliam v. Willey, in equity, from Gates, argued by Moore for plaintiff and Bragg, Heath and Smith for defendant.

Johnson v. Chapman, from Craven, argued by J. H. Bryan for plaintiff and Donnell for defendant.

Mebane v. Patrick, from Guilford, argued by Miller for plaintiff and Bryan for defendant.

SATURDAY, Feb. 4. Rives v. Gutherie, from Chatham, argued by Winston for plaintiff and Manly and Bryan for defendant.

City of Raleigh v. Sorrell, from Wake, argued by Miller and Moore for plaintiff and E. G. Haywood for defendant.

Melton v. Jones, in equity, from Surry, argued by Miller for plaintiff and Winston for defendant.

Clement v. Clement, in equity, from Davidson, argued by Winston and H. C. Jones for plaintiff.

Tinnen v. Womack, in equity, from Chatham, argued by Bryan for plaintiff and Winston for def.

MONDAY, Feb. 6. Moye v. May, in equity, from Pitt, argued by Moore for plaintiff and Biggs for defendant.

☞ It may be interesting to our readers in the City and neighborhood to know that the ladies have formed an Association, whose object it is, by a personal visitation of its members, to place a Tract, once a month, in every family in town and the vicinity that will receive it. This Association, we understand, is made up of members without regard to denominational distinctions; its design is to carry on more in detail the same benevolent work that has been prosecuted, with so much success on a general plan, by Rev. Mr. Crowder, the Colporteur of the American Tract Society. Such organizations not only exist, but have been in operation for many years, with more or less efficiency, in the principal Cities and large towns throughout the Union. Some of them employ City Missionaries for the supervision of the Tract Visitors, but our ladies intend to manage the whole concern themselves, and to prosecute their labors of love as a purely voluntary work. We bespeak for them a hearty reception wherever they go, while all will unite with us in the wish that full success may crown their efforts.

We trust they will not take it amiss if we hint—which we do with all respect—that while they are out "in the high-ways and hedges" on this errand of benevolence, they will not forget to look somewhat into the temporal condition of the heedless and improvident poor, who are scattered in large numbers around the suburbs, and many of them, too, dwelling in such miserable and comfortless sheds in the back-streets and lanes of the City.

The statement that Hon. Geo. E. Badger, of N. C., is opposed to the Nebraska bill is not true. He approves of the provision touching the slavery question, and that is the main point. He had doubts respecting the rights of the Indians, but we understand those doubts are probably already removed.

N. Y. Herald, Feb. 1.

If the above be true, we may expect soon to hear from the Raleigh Register on the subject. If Mr. Badger be for the bill, that paper may very safely take position on the same side. Wonder if Mr. Badger is influenced, as the Register says Judge Douglas is, by a wish to make political capital?

WESTERN RAILROAD. The last Fayetteville Carolinian says: "We understand that the Board of Directors of the Western Railroad are about concluding a contract for building and stocking it entire from Fayetteville to some point in the Coal Fields, with a Company in New York. Under the proposed contract the work is to be finished within fifteen months from the date of the agreement. We hope soon to be able to give other particulars."

From our Washington Correspondent.

WASHINGTON CITY, Feb. 4, 1854.

The Great Debate opened on the Nebraska Bill—The Speech of Senator Douglas—The excitement increased—The Great Speech and its Effects—Probable Fate of the Measure—The Treaty with Mexico—Case of Senator Phelps—Weather, &c.

"Order reigns in Warsaw" were the words uttered when that devoted country was trampled by the iron heel of despotism. With similiar truth to history it might be written that "order reigns at Washington," when the most intense feeling exists upon a most exciting question. My previous letters have informed you that the bill from the Committee on Territories creating the Territories of Kansas and Nebraska would come up on Monday. At an early hour the Senate was crowded to its utmost capacity by anxious spectators to hear Judge Douglas upon this important question. The House of Representatives was directed to attend, and in vain a quorum was held, although calls of the House were made; the Judges of the Supreme Court left their high seats of justice to witness the debate. To the most unobservant spectator it was evident, by the breathless attention of this immense concourse, that some great topic was to be discussed. Some event

"Big with fate of Caesar and of Rome."

Although efforts were made to bring up other pressing business by Judge Adams which he assured the Senate would occupy but a moment; yet all other matters were laid aside to take up the Territorial Bills.

When Judge Douglas rose every eye was fixed upon him. It was an era in the life of the statesman, and will, in its effects, be an era in the history of our Republic.

The appearance of the Speaker was much in his favor. His health appeared perfect; his exordium was clear, concise, and to the point. He explained the reasons of the committee in presenting the bill; its provisions in preserving the faith of the nation with Indians that may be embraced within the Territories, guarding their rights, and protecting their interests. As regards the question of slavery his views were presented so clear and specific as no doubt could exist on the minds of any one. He urged that the Compromise of 1820 had been superseded by the act of 1850, and, therefore, had become inoperative, and the question of slavery was left just where, the constitution leaves it, to the people of the States and Territories—subject to *no higher or lower law*. Here he had closed, as he said, but the extraordinary course of the Abolition leaders, (Chase, of Ohio, and Sumner, of Massachusetts,) in publishing to their satellites, under their own hand, a document charging him with "bad faith," "an atrocious crime," and "servile demagogueism," roused all the energy of his nature, and he turned upon them as "the lion turns upon the hunter's spear" and exposed the falsehood of their statements and the hypocrisy of their conduct. Such an excoriation, so merited and severe, has rarely been witnessed in Congress. No one sympathised with the victims of his generous wrath, because all felt that it was most richly merited.

He then dilated upon the policy of the ordinance of 1787—the Missouri Compromise of 1820, and showed from the history of the nation that it was the people of the nation only, and no Ordinance, Compromise, or action of Congress, regulated this matter—that when the imposition of any such unauthorized legislation was felt, the people went in opposition to such legislation; and when such effects were not felt, they acted as was proper, and suited to their own condition and interests.

But I shall not attempt an analysis of this most brilliant effort. You and all your readers will no doubt read it. But, however, you can form but a feeble idea from reading it, of its able and graceful delivery, and its overwhelming and powerful effects. So overwhelming that, although Chase and Sumner had prepared themselves for the whole week previous (as they had denied on the Tuesday previous, for time to examine the questions of history,) yet when the speech was delivered, they made no effort to reply; but complained that an error had been committed in the date of their address, the date which was the one affixed to it—the truth of which they could not deny—nor would not, had not the argus eye of Douglas fixed the date to be Sunday, as the *Holyday* for their nefarious and infamous manifesto. When it came up on the next day (for it was understood that when the bill was taken up it should be the order of the day until disposed of finally,) they again craved time to examine a question that had been their study for years. They may take as much time as they please; the arguments and facts as adduced by Judge Douglas can never be answered—not even if they require until that day which Charles James Fox informs us is the great day of answering all things—"the day of judgment." The whole Senate—the President of the Senate—the crowded auditory were held with breathless interest upon this master effort of the day. Every one speaks in raptures of this speech. On one occasion so completely were the auditory carried away, that an open demonstration of applause was not only unchecked by the President of the Senate, but seemingly was united in by him. That this feeling was not limited was evinced, when I saw General Dawson, of Geo., and others who differed with Judge Douglas approach him and cordially congratulate him and the nation upon this occasion, and pledge to him their warm support to his measure. This effort has driven the last nail into the coffin of abolition, and it will be buried so deep that the hand of resurrection cannot reach it. It was not only an effort of brilliant statesmanship, historical research, and bewitching eloquence, but an act of noble and enlarged patriotism—a defence of the laws, and the people, and the constitution—an act worthy of Rome in Rome's best days, prostrating under foot the hydra that has disturbed our peace, would divide our country, and destroy our glorious Union.

Mr. Chase replied at length on Friday on this important question. It will probably be debated today by Mr. Dixon, of Kentucky in reply. I am happy to see the whole southern press united upon this subject—a rare circumstance, and a "consummation devoutly to be wished for." So the South can depend upon the loyalty of the President. To my own knowledge, if not the author of the amendment so important to this bill, he is its active friend, and he and his Cabinet are a unit upon this question. It is determined to take the vote at as early a day as possible, and that no Southern Senator after the able exposition of Judge Douglas will say a word upon this question.

General Gadsden is in this City, and in daily conference with the Executive on his late treaty with Mexico. Although the public have not been officially advised, yet we know enough of its details from reliable sources to say that it releases our government from the obligations imposed by the 11th article of the Guadalupe Treaty, gives us a route for a railway to the Pacific, forty millions of acres of land between the Rio Grande and the Colorado, and South of the Gila, the Arezonia mines, and settles the Garay Grant, for which twenty millions are to be paid to Mexico.

The Senate have had the question of the right of Mr. Phelps to a seat, and your Senator made on Thursday last a logical and powerful effort adverse to the claim. In a former letter I expressed the views entertained that the Legislature having failed to elect a successor, his seat was *ipso facto* vacant. For, supposing that the Legislature failed again to elect, then by the same rule he would still hold over, which might extend his time *ad infinitum*.

The weather here this week has been as delightful as any you ever have in the sunny South—mild, balmy and cheerful. But on Thursday night it changed to a cold North-easter, and brought a light fall of snow. To-day is bright, bracing and beautiful.

I hope that this will reach you in good time, which from obstructions of the roads failed last week.

L. D.

QUITE DIT. An exchange paper states that Mrs. Mowatt, who is now in New York, has an engagement to play at Charleston on the 20th of February. After leaving there Mrs. Mowatt will commence a series of engagements at the North, to continue until the month of May. It is said her marriage will take place early in June. The happy expectant of her hand is, according to report, a son of the former editor of the Richmond Enquirer.

Washington Star.

HIGH PRICE. A slave was bought in Richmond a few days since, by James W Binford, of Henrico, and Augustus Grenshaw, of Charles City, for $1,700. He was forty-four years old, and was insured for $1,000.

THE ARABIA ARRIVED.

Advance in Breadstuffs!

HALIFAX, Feb. 4.

The Arabia arrived at her wharf to-day.

Flour had advanced one shilling. We quote Canal at 44s. Corn is much better, white being quoted at 51, and yellow at 50. White wheat had advanced to 13s. Consuls declined to 9½ a 9¼.

THE EASTERN QUESTION. An answer from the Czar determining whether his future course would be for peace or war, was hourly expected when the Asia sailed. It was expected and believed that it would be warlike.

For the Standard.

CHAPEL HILL, Jan. 25, 1854.

W. W. HOLDEN, Esq.—*Sir:* In the Standard of the 14th instant, I have seen some strictures on my analysis, lately published in the same paper. Since "it is the duty of every friend of science to put error to flight come whence it may," I wish to notice the errors into which Dr. Tompkins has fallen in attempting to prove my analysis "entirely incorrect."

Dr. Tompkins *assumes* that I took only one hundred grains of soil, and therefore argues that I did not take enough. This assumption is entirely gratuitous, and the quantity taken was in every instance sufficient for the correct determination of the ingredients sought.

Dr. Tompkins states that the Phosphoric Acid is "estimated to be three one-hundredths of a grain" and is therefore too small a quantity to be detected. This also rests on the assumption that I took only one hundred grains of soil. Even if I had taken only that quantity there would have been nothing at all incredible in stating that the Phosphoric Acid from it had been weighed. For the balance which I used in all these determinations gave with perfect accuracy *one*-one-hundreth of a grain, and I saw a few days ago a balance made by a mechanic of our own country, which will detect less than one *one-thousandth* of a grain.

The loss which I found—thirty-nine one-hundredths of one per cent—is in no way remarkable. By reference to the analysis of soils made by different Chemists the loss will be found to be sometimes more, sometimes less.

Dr. Tompkins contends that no farmer in our State "with perhaps a few exceptions," would know what was required to renovate Mr. Siler's soil from looking at the Analysis. All I have to say in reply, is, that Mr. Siler wanted the Analysis, and I made it for him.

But I have not classified the soil, and therefore Dr. Tompkins argues that the *Analysis* is incorrect. Now he must know that the classification of a soil belongs to its *Examination* and not to its *Analysis*. There is no need of any farmer calling in the aid of a Chemist to classify a soil. Many do it very readily from simple inspection. And in any case all that is required is to find what per contage of sand is left from washing a known weight of the dry soil. For this purpose one hundred grains is a sufficient and very convenient quantity; and the weighing need not be made with a balance capable of detecting "three one-hundredths of a grain."

Further, Dr. Tompkins says that "it requires something for a Chemist to know at present besides originating speculations and hypotheses in the Laboratory, he must have some practical experience in field experiments." There I agree with him. But cannot see what that has do with proving my Analysis incorrect, or how it applies to me at all. For I have never seen any speculations and hypotheses of mine *originated* in the Laboratory; and with field experiments I have been occupied from my boyhood.

It will be time to speak of the Analysis of marl when it is proved to be erroneous, or when "occasion requires."

Whether or not our State has so justly been styled "the Rip Van Winkle of the Union," as Dr. Tompkins thinks, I leave for others to argue. But with how little justice it is applicable to the present "one instance" may be seen from the fact that there is not a Professorship of Agricultural Chemistry in the University of Virginia, the College of South Carolina, or in the University of Georgia.

B. S. HEDRICK.

SENATOR DOUGLAS' GREAT SPEECH. We cheerfully give place in our columns this morning to the following flattering tribute from the Washington Star to the late brilliant effort of Judge Douglas on the Nebraska question.

"We never witnessed more intense and breathless interest manifested at the delivery of a speech in the Senate chamber of the United States, than was seen there yesterday. The galleries were jammed with spectators ere the hour of meeting, a large portion of whom were of the fair sex. The floor and lobbies, too, were crowded with privileged persons comprising a greater show of the acknowledged talent, learning and distinction congregated in Washington than we ever before saw collected in the Senate Hall on such an occasion. Indeed, it was conceived by all to be perhaps as important a Senatorial occasion for the future of the United States as ever took place. A large portion of the members of both Houses had hardly determined precisely what position to occupy upon the question, though, as we have before remarked, there can be little doubt that the tendency of political influences at work on them, is such as to render it almost certain that they, in the end, would be found standing with Mr. Douglas on his proposition. The fact of their well-known indecision, however, operated to increase the interest in the scene of the day. All felt, too, that to the renowned orator himself, the occasion was the turning point or corner of his destiny. For the week before, his enemies, or rather those who, being personally identified with the future of his rivals in both great parties, had been doing their best to create the impression that he had immolated himself by boldly trusting his propects on the views and principles enunciated in his Nebraska bill. Thus, there were not a few present who went there hoping that he would make a dead failure, in attempting to reconcile the North to the justice and sound policy of his measure. One could hear a pin drop from the beginning to the end of his speech, even for twenty yards out behind each entrance to the Senate and its galleries, where the crowd was as dense as immediately around the bar.

We never saw public men more elated by a speech, than were the immediate admirers and friends of the orator himself. They knew well that his future depended in a great measure upon his success in this effort. This is: that had he failed, his prespects for the Presidency would have been more completely destroyed, than ever were those of a distinguished aspirant for that position, by a single *faux pas*, or haulting speech. He has, howeever immensurably elevated himself here; while at the same time he has given the measure on which he has thus ventured all his future, the vantage ground, in the opinion of its most bitter opponents in this city."

☞ The Washington Correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says:

"The Deficiency Bill is making rapid progress in the House. The Railroad Bill progresses slowly, and there is evidently a disposition in the committee not to trouble the House with two many bills. A majority of them, as far as I can learn, will be reported upon adversely.

Congress will sit here till September, and the next Congressional elections will give the people a chance of passing on the acts which *they* have passed or failed to pass while in session.

The Pacific Railroad is making progress in committee, and a bill will soon be reported to both Houses. It will be the leading question of the day, and perhaps give rise to a modification of present party arrangements."

SALE OF STOCK. The sale of the stock of delinquent subscribers to the N. C. Railroad was made in this place on last Thursday. Many shares, we learn, were paid up before the day of sale. What was sold averaged about $42 50 per share. We are informed that there will not be a loss of more than $500 in the whole of the Guilford subscription. *Ibid.*

DEATH OF JOHN W. WRIGHT, ESQ. It is our melancholy duty to announce the death of John W. Wright, Esq., Cashier of the Bank of Cape Fear at this place. He died suddenly last evening from an attack of hemorrhage of the lungs. He has been in feeble health for some time past. He was a most excellent and worthy citizen. *Fay. Car.*

HOUSEHOLD WORDS, *by Dickens.* We have received a copy of this capital Journal. Published weekly in New York, at $2 per annum, by McElrath & Barker.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN PETERSBURG.

A whole Block of Buildings in Ruins—$75,000 Worth of Property Destroyed.

SATURDAY MORNING, 2 o'clock.

It falls to our lot this morning to chronicle the most destructive fire that has occurred in our city for many years.

About eleven o'clock last night, the store of Messrs. Morrisons & Marable was discovered to be on fire. The flames speedily communicated to the store of Messrs. Kerr and Marbury, on the north, and that of Messrs. Turnbull & Stone, on the south, and each of the buildings was entirely consumed. Messrs. Kerr & Marbury's loss is estimated at $20,000, which was fully covered by insurance. The stock of Messrs. Morrisons and Marable was completely destroyed, only about three-fourths insured. About $3,000 on deposite with this firm, is now in the ruins, in one of Herring's best Iron Safes, and we trust, will be preserved. A large portion of the goods of Messrs. Turnbull & Stone were saved, although somewhat damaged by removal. We are gratified to learn however, that their loss is fully met by insurance.

Immediately after the discovery of the fire in the store of Messrs. Morrisons & Marable, a tremendous explosion took place, occasioned by the igniting of several kegs and canisters of gunpowder. The explosion did no other harm than to arouse the city.

The block of buildings consisting of four tenements was the property of Col. George W. Bolling. They were supposed to be worth about thirty-five thousand dollars—fully insured.

The general impression is that the fire was the work of an incendiary. The gentleman who first entered the building after the discovery of the fire states that it was burning about fifteen paces from the front entrance, and might easily have been extinguished with a few buckets of water.

Too much praise cannot be awarded to our noble and energetic firemen. They promptly repaired to the scene of the conflagration, and after battling manfully for hours with the devouring elements under every disadvantage, succeeded, after many hours of gallant and untiring efforts in subduing the flames. An adequate supply of water at the commencement of the fire would have secured the safety of all the property destroyed. *Pet. Democrat.*

MEETING IN MECKLENBURG.

At a meeting of a portion of the Democrats of Mecklenburg County, held in Charlotte, on the 24th day of January, it being Tuesday of the County Court; On motion, John Walker, Esq., was called to the Chair, and J. M. Hutchinson requested to act as Secretary.

The object of the meeting being explained to be for the purpose of appointing delegates to attend the State Convention to be held in Raleigh for nominating a suitable standard-bearer in the next Gubernatorial canvass in this State, the following Resolutions were submitted and unanimously adopted, to wit:

Resolved, That the Democrats of Mecklenburg, having unlimited confidence in the truth of the principles of their party and believing them to promote the prosperity and best interests of the Republic, are determined as in times past to rally to their support, and aid in continuing in North Carolina the triumph which they have gained throughout the extent of the Union.

Resolved, That our present Chief Magistrate, DAVID S. REID, by his able and efficient advocacy of Democratic principles and faithful discharge of his official duties, has endeared himself to the party throughout the State, and in his retirement carries with him the confidence and best wishes of the entire Democracy.

Resolved, That we have confidence in the Democratic Convention, and will cordially support the nominee of said Convention, provided he is sound and reliable upon all the principles of the party as laid down and expressed in the State and National Conventions—the platforms of which are hereby endorsed and approved by this meeting

Resolved, That we have the utmost confidence in the patriotism and soundness of President Pierce upon all questions touching the rights of the States and the South, and that so long as he adheres to the doctrines promulgated in his Inaugural Address and the recent Message to Congress, we will give to his Administration a cordial and zealous support.

Resolved, That the Chairman of this meeting appoint 20 delegates to attend the State Convention, in the City of Raleigh, to join their brethren of the State in their deliberations for the common welfare.

In pursuance of the 5th Resolution the Chairman appointed the following delegates, namely: Jos. W. Ross, R. P. Waring, Richard Peoples, W. W. Elms, B. Morrow, Jno. P. Ross, Caleb Erwin, W. M. Matthews, John Kirk, Wm. Reid, Thos. B. Price, C. T. Alexander, J. B. Kerr, Wm. Black, J. W. Morrow, S. H. Elliott, C. G. Alexander, Williamson Wallace, P. J. Wilson, Z. Morris, James Johnston, Wm. Maxwell, J. M. Potts, S. A. Davis, C. B. Cross, Richard Rozzell, Dr. J. S. Gribble, F. H. Maxwell.

On motion, the Chairman and Secretary were added to the list of delegates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the proceedings of the meeting be sent to the "Western Democrat" and "North Carolina Standard" for publication.

The meeting then adjourned.

JOHN WALKER, *Chairman.*

J. M. HUTCHINSON, *Secretary.*

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN MADISON.

At a meeting of the Democratic party of Madison county, held in the Court House at Jewel Hill, on the 17th instant, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to the Democratic State Convention, to be holden in Raleigh, in order to nominate a candidate for Governor, Robert Teague, Esq., was called to the Chair, and J. B. Jervis was requested to act as Secretary.

The following resolutions were introduced and read by J. B. Jervis, and after a most excellent speech from David Coleman, Esq., were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That whereas it is proposed to hold a Democratic State Convention in the city of Raleigh at some early day for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Governor, the Chairman of this meeting be requested to appoint five Delegates to represent the Democracy of Madison county in said Convention.

Resolved, That the Democrats of Madison cling with unchanged constancy to the well known principles of the Democratic party,—that they stand unequivocally and uncompromisingly on the "Baltimore Platform," and adhere with unaltered firmness to the great principles of Free Suffrage and popular rights, embodied in the resolutions of the Democratic State Convention of 1850.

Resolved, That we heartily support and approve of the Administration of President Pierce; that his antecedents gave us full confidence in the wisdom of his selection by the people; and that every act of his Administration brings us the assurance that we have not been deceived.

Resolved, That the Democracy of this county recognise the peculiar importance of internal improvements by the State; and especially advocate the extention of the Central Rail Road, East to Beaufort and west to the Tennessee line.

Resolved, That while we expect cordially to support the nominee of the Convention, in the full confidence that he will be worthy our support; and while we cheerfully acknowledge the merits of various gentlemen whose names have been brought forward in connection with the nomination, the Democrats of this county would respectfully suggest the name of W. W. AVERY, Esq., of Burke, as their favorite choice, and as one who, from his character, talents, services, and unflinching devotion to Democratic principles, is in every way worthy to fill the position of Chief Magistrate of the State.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Asheville News.

The Chairman, in obedience to the first resolution appointed the following gentlemen Delegates, viz: J. B. Jervis, Dr. John Yancey, Col. J. R. Weaver, Wm. Goldsmith, and James Jack.

The thanks of the meeting were tendered to the Chairman and Secretary, and then the meeting adjourned. ROBT. TEAGUE, *Chairman.*

J. B. JERVIS, *Secretary.*

SALISBURY. H. A. Beard, has been elected Intendant, and James E. Kerr, John J. Shaver, Wm. H. Smith, Jas. F. Chambers, John Shuman, J. M. Brown, Andrew Murphy, and John W. Ellis, Commissioners of the town of Salisbury.

Frugality, like a short and pleasant journey, is attended with much enjoyment and little toil.

From the National Intelligencer.

FLAG OF THE FREE.

BY H. W. CUTTER.

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Flag of the free! Flag of the Free!
How glows a doting nation's soul,
How leap a million hearts to see
Thy rainbow in the sky unroll;
To view thy beaming stars appear
In all their morning dawn of fame,
Or e'en from minstrel lips to hear
The sound of thy endearing name!

'Twas not from love of mere domain,
'Twas not from lust of cold renown;
Thou wast created to sustain
The lowly and the trodden down—
To float a mighty refuge here,
From tyrant-king and bigot fool,
Where power should never interfere,
Where reason's voice alone should rule.

Thy lovely folds at first were spread
Beneath a limpid savant's reign,
When our devoted fathers bled
To break his goading, galling chain;
And many a field and many a flood,
Where now thy light triumphant waves,
Was crimsoned with their sacred blood,
And rendered holy by their graves.

And we, thy children, never yet
Have stained their fair celestial hue;
No star from their broad fold has set,
No stripe forsook its field of blue;
But, gleaming like thy parent skies,
Full many a rising orb appears,
And, glittering in thy gorgeous dyes
Our onward path of glory cheers.

'Tis true that in our prosperous hour
The factious and the proud have strayed;
Forgetting that paternal Power
To whom those spotless warriors prayed;
But He who to this favored land
Conveyed them o'er the stormy sea,
Has stretched His dear protecting hand
To guard the shrines of liberty.

And still around our utmost shore
The links of love's enduring chain
Our hero father's bound of yore
In their resistless strength remain,
They're stamped upon each manly heart,
Whatever discord's hand hath done;
Tho' countless leagues of Ocean part,
We still are one! we still are one!

One in the struggle for mankind,
One in the strife for equal laws—
One, only one, in heart and mind,
For ever one in freedom's cause;
And tyrants might as well enchain
The billows of the mighty sea,
As for a moment's space restrain
Our onward march of destiny.

Already from each golden height
That o'er the broad Pacific gleams,
Thy halo of inspiring light
In its victorious splendor beams;
And soon, all lightning like, will leap
Across those broad and tranquil waves;
And nations, startled from their sleep,
Shall find they are no longer slaves.

For howsoe'er to power and place
The selfish cringe, the timid quail,
Heaven will avenge our injured race—
The truth is God's and must prevail;
And freedom's area circling out,
As billows from the centre roll,
Her foes' dishonest power shall route,
And cheer the earth from pole to pole.

Thy dazzling folds shall thus be sent,
And all thy lovely hues be given,
To light each mighty continent
With the inspiring glow of heaven;
Till o'er the latest despot's grave,
In all the light of truth unfurled,
Thy peaceful stars and stripes shall wave
The flag of the admiring world.

MARRIED,

On 26th January, by the Rev. Jno. Stadler, Mr. J. A. Bennett, of Rockingham county, N. C., to Miss Elizabeth A. Smith, daughter of Samuel Smith, of Caswell co., N. C.

Milton Chronicle and Roanoke Republican please copy.

On Friday 23d December, at the residence of Evan Davis, Esq., by the Rev. James Needham, Wm. E. Davis, Esq., to Miss Arabella Hill, daughter of Wm. Hill Esq., all of Surry county.

In this county on the 26th instant, by Peleg Rogers, Esq., Mr. A. J. Roberts, of Orange county, to Miss Lucy A. Moore, daughter of John C. Moore.

On the 26th ult., by the Rev. John T. Clark, Dr. William H. Henderson, of Caswell, N. C., and Miss Mary J., daughter of Elijah Hundley of Halifax, Va.

DIED,

At Buena Vista, Johnston county, on the 25th January last, John McLeod Morning, son of Col. William H. Morning, in the 4th year of his age. Born on a Sabbath morning, his short but joyous life ended on last Sabbath evening; and he was taken in his innocency to Heaven. He was a bright and beautiful boy. Our Saviour never folded in his bosom a lovelier lamb. [Cou.

On Sunday, the 22d instant, at the residence of his father, Etheldred Green, Esq., of Franklin county, Mr. John Henry Green, aged about 25 years.

THE MARKETS.

NORFOLK, February 6.

REPORTED FOR THE "NORTH-CAROLINA STANDARD"

BY A. M. M'PHEETERS & Co.,

Wholesale Grocers, Forwarding & Commission Merchants.

No. 6 ROANOKE SQUARE.

FLOUR—Our quotations of this article are always the prices on 90 days credit. Flour being invariably sold in this Market on these terms. We quote S. F. 8¼ @ 8¾; Extra $9; Family $9½.

CORN—Has declined since the Asia's news. Sales of white and mixed at 82 @ 86 cts.

STAVES—Continue in good demand at our last quotations.

GROCERIES.—N. O. Sugar 4¾ @ 5¼ cts.; P. R. 5¾ @ 7 cts.; Coffee Sugar 7¼ @ 8 cts; Clarified 8¾ to 9 cts.; Crushed and Loaf 9¾ @ 10 cts.; N. O. Molasses 31 @ 33 cts. Candles, Adamantine 26 @ 28; Mould 14 @ 15 cts.; Sperm 31 @ 33 cts.; Rio Coffee 11¾ @ 13 cts.; Lag. 13 @ 13¾ cts.; Java 14 @ 14¾ cts.

NAVAL STORES—Tar $2 25; Rosin, common $1 50 @ $1 75; White $4 @ $4¼; Spirits Turpentine, 64 @ 65 cts.

FAYETTEVILLE, Feb. 4.

The past week has been rather an excitable one in the FLOUR market. On Saturday last the price of Flour advanced 50 to 75 cents, and sales were made on Monday at $7 75 for super. Since then the market has become more settled, and prices are down to $7 87½ and $7 50, at which price it was selling yesterday. The supply continues abundant.

COTTON is lower, and sales are made at 9¾ for best.

CORN is in good demand at $1 10 from wagons.

OATS are lower. The supply was large during the week. Sales made at 60 to 65 cents from wagons.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE has advanced, and would bring 60 cents per gallon—perhaps more. But little in market.

No sales of raw TURPENTINE to report.

Carolinian.

WILMINGTON, Feb. 4.

NAVAL STORES—Further

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS AT RALEIGH.

Arrival and Departure of Railroad and Stage Lists at and from Raleigh.

NORTHERN MAIL.—(By Railroad.)—
Leaves daily ..... at 7½ a. m.
Arrives daily ..... at 6½ p. m.
(Mail closes at 6½ a. m.)

SOUTHERN MAIL.—(By Two-horse Hack.)—
Leaves daily ..... at 7½ a. m.
Arrives daily ..... at 3 p. m.
(Mail closes at 6½ a. m.)

WESTERN MAIL.—(By Four-horse Coaches.)—
Leaves daily ..... at 8 a. m.
Arrives daily, ... at 2½ p. m.
(Mail closes at 8 a. m.)

PITTSBOROUGH MAIL.—(By Two-horse Hack.)—
Leaves Sunday and Wednesday ..... at 5 a. m.
Arrives Monday and Thursday ..... at 7 p. m.
(Mail closes Tuesdays and Saturdays at 9 p. m.)

GOLDSBOROUGH MAIL.—(By Four-horse Coach.)—
Leaves daily, (except Sunday,) ..... at 7 a. m.
Arrives daily, (except Monday,) ..... at 11 p. m.
(Mail closes at 7 p. m.)

TARBOROUGH MAIL.—(By Two-horse Hack.)—
Leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday, ... at 5 a. m.
Arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, ... at 7 p. m.
(Mail closes Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday at 9 p. m.)

ROXBOROUGH MAIL.—(By Horse.)—
Leaves Friday, ... at 12 m.
Arrives Friday ..... at 9 a. m.
(Mail closes Friday at 12 m.)

THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE HAS BEEN ordered by the Post Master General, and goes into operation on the Road to-day:

Leave Raleigh at 8 A. M., and reach Weldon at 1 P. M., in time for the Express train to Wilmington.

Leave Weldon at 1½ P. M., and reach Raleigh at 6½ P. M.

Office Raleigh & Gaston Railroad Co. } 84—
September 6th, 1853. }

WILSON & GRICE,

GENERAL COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
No. 11, High Street and Pierce's Wharf,
Portsmouth, Va.,

Give their personal and prompt attention to the Sale and Forwarding of Produce and Merchandize of every description, and make liberal consignments.

REFERENCES.

Geo. W. Mordecai, Esq., Raleigh.
Messrs. W. H. & R. S. Tucker, Raleigh.
" King, Thomas & Barrow, Louisburg.
" " R. N. & D. C. Herndon, Oxford.
Hon. Weldon N. Edwards, Warren County.
Col. S. S. Boyster, Granville.
Messrs. Jno. White & Co., Warrenton.
" Montgomery & Plummer, Warrenton.
Col. Walter Gwynn, Chief Eng. Central Rail Road.
SAMUEL M. WILSON. GEO. W. GRICE
May 2d, 1853. 48—1y.

GOLDSBORO' DRUG STORE.—VAUGHAN & MOORE, Druggists and Apothecaries, Goldsboro', N. C., wish to impress upon the minds of the citizens not only of Wayne county, but the whole of this portion of the State, that they have on hand, and are daily receiving one of the largest and most select stocks of Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Window Glass, &c., that has ever been offered for sale in North Carolina. They call attention to the following catalogue, which, though imperfect in itself, will convey a faint idea of their assortment, viz:

Drugs and Chemicals.

30 lbs. Acetic Acid, 6 oz. Elaterium (Clat.)
5 " Benzoic " 20 Rolls Emp. Adhesive,
10 " Citric " All kinds of Extracts and
25 oz. Hydrocyanic do. Confections,
5 Carboy's Sulphuric do. 50 lbs. Hoffman's Anodyne
3 " Nitric do. 10 " Fowler's Solution,
3 " Muriatic do. 25 " Goulard's Ext. Lead,
20 lbs. Sulphuric Aether, 10 " Iodine,
5 Carboy's Spts Nitre, 10 " Iodina Potassae,
4 Boxes Tartaric Acid, 10 " Cirate Iron,
5 Carboy's Aqr. Ammonia, 20 oz. do do and Qui.
3 do Spts do 20 " Lactate do
50 lbs. Carbonate, do 50 " Balsam Copaiba,
36 " Liq Ammonia, 100 " Quinine,
5 " Tartar Emetic, 10 doz. Seidlitz Powders,
5 " Pulv. Animonialis, 100 gals Castor Oil,
3 " Golder Sulphurat do 100 " Flor Sulphur,
25 " Blue Mass, 10 bbls. Glue,
10 " Sub Nit Bismuth, 5 " Printer's Glue,
35 " Calomel (Opt.) 20 lbs. Opium, (Turky)
25 " Gum Camphor, Shakers Herbs,
300 " Chloride Lime, 50 " Gum Arabic,
20 " Choloform, 25 " do Assafoetida,
20 " Peruvian Bark, 1 Bale Senna Alix.

Patent Medicine.

50 doz. Mexican Mustang Lina-ment, 12 doz. Horseman's Hope,
24 " Hoofland's German Bit. 12 " Carter's Spanish Mix.
A large supply of Drs. Jayne's and Rose's Medicines kept constantly on hand, 6 " Gray's Ointment,
1 gross Ayer's Cherry Pectoral 10 " Green Mountain do.
24 doz. Brown's Essence of Jam Ginger, A large supply of Greafenberge Medicines.
R. R. R. Remedies and in fact almost every kind of Patent Medicine that can be called for.

Paints, Oils, &c.

125 kegs Pure White Lead 50 lbs. Chrome Green Dry
90 " Extra do. and in Oil,
40 " No 1 do 50 " Chrom Yellow do.
25 " Zinc Paint, 25 " Prussian Blue,
1 bbl. Drop Black, 4 bbls. Linseed Oil,
1000 Yellow Ochre, 1 " Copal Varnish,
2 casks Spanish Brown, 10 cans Conch do.
2 " Venetian Red, 1 bbl. Japan do.
5 kegs Red Lead, 1 " Black do.
5 " Litharge, &c., &c., &c., &c.
100 lbs. Putty.

Glass-Ware, &c.

50 gross Vials, assorted, 125 boxes French and American Window Glass,
5 crates, 3 hhds. of Druggists shop Furniture.

Perfumery, &c.

We have a very large assortment of Perfumery and Toilet articles, which we will sell very low.

We would say to all Physicians who wish to replenish their stock, that they may confidently rely upon getting the best of articles, as the whole of our assortment was purchased under the immediate supervision of the senior partner of the firm, (who as a Druggist, is second to none in the State,) with especial reference to their purity, medicinal action, and adaptation to the purposes required, and also with the utmost regard to their meeting the approval of customers and consumers. Having said this much, we make our bow to the public, whom we hope to be able to call a generous one.

AMARIAH B. VAUGHAN,
JOHN SWANN MOORE.
Goldsboro', Oct. 18, 1853. 100—3m.

HAIR DYE.—Do you admire the Raven's wing,
To suit your wish I'm just the thing,
But not to write a length puff,
To give black hair I'm just the stuff.
Apply it when you go to bed,
Next morn you'll scarcely know your head,
And when with joy you rise next morn,
You'll give your thanks to Moore & Vaughan.

We have on hand a large lot of Hair Dye, which we warrant to turn gray or red hair to a glossy black. All of you who have gray hair or red whiskers will please call and have them dyed at VAUGHAN & MOORE'S.
Goldsboro' Oct. 16. 100—

JUST RECEIVED.—100 ounces SulphateQuinine,
10 ounces Ferriet Quinine Citras,
3 " Sulphate Morphine,
4 " Acetate "
4 " Valorianate "
3 " Veratria,
20 " Iron by Hydrogen,
50 pounds Blue Mass,
35 " Calomel, (Opt.,)
10 " Syrup Iodide Iron, (P. & W.'s
All of which will be sold low, by
VAUGHAN & MOORE,
Apothecaries and Druggists.
Goldsboro', Oct. 16. 100—

WHITE LEAD, LINSEED OIL, AND WINDOW GLASS. We keep constantly on hand a very large stock of all kinds of Paints, Oils, Window Glass, &c., which we will sell as low as can be bought in the State.
VAUGHAN & MOORE.
Goldsboro', Oct. 19. 100—

125 OZS. QUININE.—We have made arrangements with Messrs. Powers & Weightman and Rosengarten & Dennis to receive their Quinine regularly, and are able to sell it lower than it can be bought in the State elsewhere. VAUGHAN & MOORE,
Druggists and Apothecaries.
Goldsboro', Oct. 19. 101—

WE HAVE RECEIVED 5 kegs Sup. Carb. Soda, 2 Bales Lamp Black, 1 Bale Hops—crop 1852, 500 lbs. Putty. All of which are warranted of the best quality. For sale in quantities to suit, by VAUGHAN & MOORE.
Goldsboro', Oct. 16. 100—

BURNING FLUID AND CAMPHENE.—A supply of the best Burning Fluid and Camphene for sale low for Cash, by VAUGHAN & MOORE.
Goldsboro', Oct. 16. 100—

PERFUMERY AND FANCY ARTICLES.—We are in receipt of one of the largest and most extensive assortments of Perfumery and Fancy Articles ever brought to North Carolina. All of which will be sold very low by
VAUGHAN & MOORE.
Goldsboro', Oct. 16. 100—

GRAY'S OINTMENT.—A supply of Gray's genuine Ointment for sale very low by
VAUGHAN & MOORE.
Goldsboro', Oct. 19. 101—

A LARGE supply of Castor Oil, Cream of Tartar, Cooking Soda, Pink Root, Sulphur, Salt Petre, Nut Megs, Mace, Spices, Pepper, Ginger, Annatto Camphire, Cinnamon, &c. For sale very low by VAUGHAN & MOORE.
Goldsboro', Oct. 16. 100—

GUM AND CORDIAL DROPS.—Fig, Marsh, Mallow, Jujube and Liverwort pasts, of various flavors; just received and for sale by P. F. PESCUD.
Nov. 4th. 101—

FALL TRADE, 1853.—BOOTS & SHOES.—THE GREAT RIVALRY; Or, WHO SHALL CONTROL THE NORFOLK SHOE-MARKET.—AT WHOLESALE!—Six years ago the Proprietor of the famous Ladies' Shoe Saloon put in his claim to do a large share of this particular branch of the Shoe business, by importing one of the LARGEST STOCKS OF BOOTS AND SHOES which had ever been sent to Norfolk. Since then, at each successive season, our stock has gradually increased until the present time, and now we do a larger business than any other house in Eastern Virginia.

The Ladies' Saloon was first established about twelve years ago, and the Store has been repeatedly altered and enlarged to make room for Mr. ADDINGTON'S increasing trade, until now the old Store can be no longer enlarged. He has recently built for himself one of the largest Stores for his business in the United States.

The New Store is four times as large as the old one, so that hereafter we shall be prepared with the goods to do the largest Boot and Shoe Trade done in the State of Virginia.

(A complete description of this splendid new Store will be given about the 15th of July, when it will be opened.)

At the commencement of each season we have on hand from ☞ $80,000 to $100,000 worth of BOOTS and SHOES, while we constantly receive heavy shipments of goods during its continuance. Our success has indeed been signal, and why? Because we have always conducted our business on equitable principles, mutually benefiting the seller and the buyer.

This success is truly flattering to us, insomuch we intend to make still larger additions to our stock, and therefore invite all Country Merchants and Shoe Dealers to come and deal for the future with us at the new store.

HUNDREDS OF MERCHANTS have already availed themselves of our invitation, who return and buy goods at each season, saying, "they can do better at the LADIES' SALOON *than they can do at the North.*" We guarantee to sell at least 5 per cent. less than others, and to sell goods which will suit the retail trade of Virginia and North-Carolina Merchants better than any they may purchase elsewhere. The Stock consists in part of—

Gentlemen's Fine Boots and Shoes, of every fashionable variety,
Ladies' Gaiter Boots, Jenny Linds, and other celebrated styles,
Men's Calf-skin Brogans, of every variety,
" " Boots, " "
" Kip Brogans, " "
" " Boots, " "
" Coarse, Thick Brogans, for Negroes, " "
" " Boots, " "
Dutch Women's Brogans, for outdoor Women, Field hands, and for Cooks,
Women's Leather Bootees, for House Servants, &c.
" " Shoes of every kind and quality,
Boys' Kip and Course Boots and Shoes of all kinds,
Misses' and Children's Shoes of all kinds, over 100 different varieties.

The attention of Country Merchants is invited to this immence Stock of Boots, Shoes and Brogans, at the Ladies' Saloon, where they can buy every article wanted by them at the lowest wholesale prices, thereby saving themselves the trouble and expense of going to the North for their supplies.

TERMS—SIX MONTHS CREDIT.

☞ The Ladies' Saloon is on Main Street, near Walters' City Hotel.

W. H. ADDINGTON.
Norfolk, Va., July 6, 1853. 67—tf.

INDIA RUBBER SHOES.—JUST RECEIVED AT THE LADIES' SALOON, Norfolk, Va., 100 cases India Rubber Shoes, which is a part of our Fall orders. This stock of Rubbers is of the very best quality, and will be warranted not to be affected by any temperature of the weather. It consists of Men's India Rubber Boots, short legs, long legs, and some extra long legs, for Wading and Fishing.

Men's India Rubber Shoes, Clogs, Slippers, Sandals, &c.

Women's India Rubber Boots, Bootees, Buskins, Slippers, Sandals, Clogs, and Over Gaiters.

Ladies' fine India Rubber Shoes, Slippers, Sandals, &c., of the most beautiful and delicate make.

A new style of Gossamer Rubbers for Ladies' have been just received also at the Ladies' Saloon. There has never been any thing like them out before, and as we are the Agents for the Manufacturer no other dealer in Norfolk or in the States of Virginia and North Carolina can sell them unless purchased through our House.

The Merchants of Norfolk, Portsmouth, Petersburg and Richmond as well as those country Merchants from Virginia and North Carolina can be supplied at Manufacturers' prices at the Ladies' Saloon, with the goods from this celebrated Factory. They are superior in point of durability, beauty and style to any others that are now made in this country.

The goods are now open for inspection, and orders are respectfully solicited.

The Ladies' Saloon is at No. 37, Main street, Norfolk, Va., Sign of the Large Plate Glass Windows.

W. H. ADDINGTON & CO.,
Norfolk, Va.
September 9th, 1853. 84—

FRESH DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c.—WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD, are now receiving large additions to their stock of DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, DYESTUFFS, WINDOW GLASS, PERFUMERY, &c., &c., from the most reliable Houses in the Northern Cities, which have been purchased with an eye single to their purity, and are offered for sale at such prices and on such terms as shall compare favorably with any house in the State.

Physicians, Country Merchants, and Dealers generally, will do well to give us a call before purchasing, feeling assured we shall not fail to please both in point of price and quality.

Orders promptly attended to, and particular attention given to packing and forwarding.

Family Medicines and Prescriptions compounded at all hours of the day and night, by a competent person with neatness and despatch.

We tender our most sincere thanks to the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country for the long and liberal patronage we have received, and trust by untiring zeal and energy to please in the prosecution of our business, to merit its continuance.

Raleigh, April 28, 1851. 94—

If you want a Cheap Bargain Call at the New FANCY STORE.

[Between Messrs. Pomeroy and Porter's Sign of Big Boot.]

THE SUBSCRIBERS TAKE GREAT PLEASURE TO inform the public that they have just received a large lot of Goods in their line, which they offer at the lowest prices, such as they hope will ensure them a share of the public patronage.

FANCY GOODS.—Fine French and German Reticules, Ladies Work-boxes, Velvet, Pearl, Silver and embossed Portemonnies, India-rubber round, Tucking and Dressing Combs, French China Coffees, Glass and China Vases, Children Tea Setts, Kid, Wax, China and India-rubber Dolls, Crying Babies, ass't Baskets, Hair, Tooth, Shaving, Cloth, Nail, and Comb Brushes, China Tea Setts, Toilet Setts, ass't Perfumeries, Fancy Soaps, Snuff-boxes, Mirrors, Wostenholms, Pocket Cutlery, Musical Instruments, Umbrellas, Canes, Whips, &c.

GUNS AND PISTOLS.—Guns, ass't from $5 to $40. Brass and Steel Pistols, Allen's Self-cocking Pistols, Maynard's new patent and Colt's Revolvers, Powder-flasks, Shotbags, Game-bags, Leather Gun Covers, &c.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.—Upmann Londres, Ambroisa, Fortuna, La Union, La Parra, all Havanna's, El Aguila, Ariana—Eo Principe Cigars. Smith's superior and Jenny Lind Chewing Tobacco. Gail's celebrated Smoking Tobacco, and Meerschaum bowls, long and short Pipes, &c.

CONFECTIONARY AND GROCERIES.—A well selected Stock. Toys, &c., a general assortment.

F. MAHLER & CO.
Raleigh, Oct. 5, 1853. 92—

SEPTEMBER.—FALL, 1853.—SAMUEL H. MARKS & SON would respectfully inform their customers and the trade generally, that they are now receiving by sundry packets and steamers their usual extensive assortment of CONFECTIONARY, FANCY ARTICLES, FRUITS, CIGARS, &c., selected in person by one of the firm, who has just returned from a Northern tour. They are also daily expecting an arrival of GERMAN, FRENCH and ENGLISH FANCY GOODS, of their own importation, which will make their assortment one of the largest and most complete now offered in this market. North Carolina and Virginia Merchants, may rely upon getting every article of the very best quality, and upon the most pleasing terms.
Petersburg, Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

Notice to North Carolina & Virginia Merchants!

STEVENSON & WEDDELL, IMPORTERS AND Jobbers of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, *Petersburg, Va.* Now offer to the trade, a large and commanding assortment of British and Continental Goods, together with a large stock of Domestic Fabrics, purchased before the recent advance in prices.

Merchants are respectfully invited to call and examine our assortment, as we feel confident we can offer as great inducements to purchasers as can be found in this or *any other market.*

N. B. Orders promptly Attended to.
Petersburg, Va., Sept. 6. 86—

NEW BOOKS.—Scotia's Bards, illustrated; Pictorial Field Book of the Revolution, by B. J. Lossing, 2 vols., royal, 8 vo.; Peruvian Antiquities, by Marano Edward Pivero, translated into English, from the original Spanish, by Francis L. Hawks, D. D., LL. D.; Grates History of Greece, vol. 11.; The Complete Works of S. S. Coleridge, with an introductory essay upon his Philosophical and Theological Opinions, Edited by Professor Shedd, 7 vols., 8 vo.; The Works of Joseph Addison, Edited, with Critical and Explanatory notes, by George W. Greene; The Works of Shakespeare, Edited by J. Payne Collier, Esq., S. A.; Health Trip to the Tropics, by N. P. Willis; The Homes of the New World, Impressions of America, by Frederika Bremer; The Behaviour Book, by Miss Sealie; Philosophy of Sir Wm. Hamilton; The Analogy of Ancient Craft Masonry to Natural and Revealed Religion, by Charles Scott, A. M.; Bleak House, by Charles Dickens; Gustavus Lindorme, or, "Lead us not into temptation," by Emilie F. Carlen; The Daughter at School, by Rev. Jno. Todd, D. D.; The Old House by the River; Temperance Tales and Hearth Stone reveries, by T. W. Brown.

For sale by W. L. POMEROY.
Raleigh, Dec. 16th, 1853. 9—

RELIGIOUS WORKS.—THE DOCTRINE OF the Holy Eucharist, by Robert Isaac Wilberforce, A. M.
Pilate and Herod, a tale illustrative of the early history of the Church of England, in the province of Maryland, by Rev. Harvey Stanley.
Twenty-five Village Sermons, by Charles Kingsley, Jr.
History of the Apostolic Church, by Philip Schaff.
Genius and Faith, by W. G. Scott.
Life and Lectures of Father Gavazzi.

For sale by W. L. POMEROY.
December 12, 1853.

A NEW SUPPLY OF PICTURES, WITH AND without Frames; also Gilt Mouldings of every description, for sale at the MUSIC STORE.

EXCELSIOR SOAP.—300 LBS. OF THIS SUPERior family soap, in store and for sale cheap by the box or pound, at WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD'S.

NORTH-CAROLINA MUTU'L INSURANCE COMPANY, *Raleigh.*—This Company has been in successful operation for more than seven years, and continues to take risks upon all classes of property in the State (except Cotton Mills and Turpentine Distilleries,) upon favorable terms.

Its Policies now cover property amounting to $4,500,000, a large portion of which is in country risks; and its present Capital is over Six Hundred Thousand Dollars, in bonds properly secured.

The average cost of Insurance upon the plan of this Company, has been less than one-third of one per cent per annum, on all grades of property embraced in its operations.

The following persons have been elected Directors and Officers of this Company for the present year:

DIRECTORS.

Jos. G. B. Roulhac, C. W. D. Hutchings, Jno. R. Williams, John Primrose, H. D. Turner, S. W. Whiting, T. H. Selby, Geo. McNeil, Fayetteville, J. G. Wright, Wilmington, Jas. E. Hoyt, Washington, James Sloan, Greensboro', } of Raleigh,
John Cox, Edenton, Joshua Bonner, Salem, J. H. Pool, Elizabeth City, F. F. Fagan, Plymouth, Alex'r Mitchell, Newbern, W. N. H. Smith, Murfreesborough, H. B. Williams, Charlotte, John B. Barrett, Milton, A. T. Summy, Asheville.

All Directors are authorised to receive applications.

OFFICERS.

J. G. B. Roulhac, *President,*
Henry D. Turner, *Vice-President,*
S. W. Whiting, *Treasurer,*
John C. Partridge, *Secretary,*
John H. Bryan, *Attorney,*
J. Hersman, *General Agent,*
S. W. Whiting,
Jno. R. Williams, } *Executive Committee.*
John Primrose,

All communications in reference to Insurance should be addressed to the Secretary, post paid.

JOHN C. PARTRIDGE, *Secretary.*
Raleigh, Jan. 11, 1853. 19—

GREENSBOROUGH Mutual INSURANCE COMPANY.—The cost of Insurance on the Mutual plan is but a small sum, compared with a joint stock company. This company being located in the Western part of the State, consequently much the larger portion of the risks are in the West, very many of which are in the country.

The Company is entirely free from debt; have made no assessments, and have a very large amount in cash and good bonds, and is therefore confidently recommended to the public.

At the last Annual Meeting the following Officers were elected for the ensuing year:

JAMES SLOAN, *President.*
S. G. COFFIN, *Vice President.*
C. P. MENDENHALL, *Attorney.*
PETER ADAMS, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

DIRECTORS:

James Sloan, Dr. J. A. Mebane, C. P. Mendenhall, Wm. S. Rankin, Rev. C. F. Deems, James M. Garrett, Jed. H. Lindsay, W. J. McConnell, Greensborough. E. F. Lilly, Wadesborough. W. P. Moore, Newbern. H. H. Burwell, Henderson. J. L. Bridgers. Tarborough. Geo. T. Cooke, Raleigh, *Agent.* William H. Cumming, *General Agent.*
Dr. S. G. Coffin, Jamestown. William A. Wright, Wilmington. Dr. C. Watkins, Carolina F. College. John I. Shaver, Salisbury. John H. Cook, Fayetteville. J. J. Biggs, Raleigh. Robert E. Troy, Lumberton. Dr. Ron't H. Scales, Lenox Castle.

PETER ADAMS,
Secretary.
December 12th, 1853. 8—1y.

NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.—*Office, Raleigh, N. C.*—This Company continues to insure the lives of all healthy White persons and Slaves.

The greatest risk taken on a single life is $5,000. Slaves are insured for a term of one to five years for two-thirds their value.

OFFICERS.

Dr. Chas. E. Johnson, *President.*
Wm. D. Haywood, *Vice President.*
James F. Jordan, *Secretary.*
Wm. H. Jones, *Treasurer.*
Quentin Busbee, *Attorney.*
Dr. Wm. H. McKee, *Examining Physician.*
J. Hersman, *General Agent.*

All losses are paid within 90 days after satisfactory proof is presented.

Blanks and Pamphlets, showing the plan of operation of the Company, may be had on application at the Office, or any of the Agencies. All letters on business should be addressed to JAMES F. JORDAN,
Secretary.
Raleigh, April 28th, 1850. 51—

CASWELL MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—This Company, chartered at the last session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, and located in the town of Milton, has been fully organized, and is now prepared to receive applications for Insurance on Houses, Furniture, Goods, Factories, &c. The terms will be the same as those of the other Mutual Fire Insurance Companies of the State.

All applications must state the location and situation of the buildings and other property on which Insurance is desired.

The undersigned has been appointed General Agent for this Company, and he is also the Agent for the Ætna Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut, and the Hartford Insurance Company, located in the same place.

All applications for Insurance or local Agencies to be addressed to Willie J. Palmer, *Secretary*, or the subscriber.

NATHANIEL J. PALMER.
Milton, N. C., April 15th, 1853. 43—tf.

☞ The Standard Office is being thoroughly re-fitted with an extensive assortment of New and Beautiful TYPE, of every description, and suited to all qualities and kinds of work—New PRESSES, and every other appliance requisite in the execution of the best quality of work at the greatest speed.
Raleigh, *July* 30, 1853.

HENRY PORTER WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE LADIES AND GENtlemen of Raleigh and the surrounding country, that he has just returned from the Northern Markets and is now receiving his FALL STOCK, which embraces nearly every article usually found in a Boot and Shoe Store.

The following comprises a list of Goods constantly kept on hand:

LADIES' Black, Bronze, Blue, Green and Light Colored Whole Gaiters,
" Ditto, Half "
" White Kid "
" Black Prunella Buskins,
" " Thick and Thin Soled Morocco Bootees,
" Bronze ditto, ditto.
" Black and Fancy Colored Jenny Linds,
" " Thick and Thin Soled Kid and Morocco Buskins,
" Bronze ditto, ditto,
" Black and Bronze Plain Morocco Slippers,
" Ditto, Imperial, a Fancy article,
" Embroidered Cloth Slippers,
" White Kid "

A good assortment of Misses' Gaiters, Bootees, Slippers, and a variety of Children's and Infants' Shoes.

GENT.'S Fine Calf Stitched and Pegged Boots,
" Calf and Kip Sewed and Pegged do.,
" P. L. Cloth and Morocco top Congress Gaiters,
" Fine Calf Stitched Bootees,
" Palo Alto Shoes,
" Goat Bootees,
" Goat and Cloth Slippprs,
BOYS' Calf and Kip Boots,
" " Shoes,
YOUTHS' " Boots,
" " Shoes.

Also, a good assortment of Plain and Fancy Trunks, Valises, Bonnet-Boxes, Carpet-Bags, Satchels, Kits, Finding Lasts, &c., always kept on hand.

TO THE TRADE.—TO HIS OLD CUSTOMERS he returns his sincere thanks, and hopes by the inducements here offered, to retain their patronage, and also secure the patronage of all who desire good work and good materials. "Small profits and quick sales," is my motto.

HENRY PORTER,
Sign of the "Big Boot."
Fayetteville Street.

MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT!—THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his old customers and the community at large, that his MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT is still in full blast—supplied with the very best Workmen, and a plentiful stock of No. 1 Lemoine Calf-Skins, as well as every thing else requisite to make the finest Boots, Shoes, &c., that can be made, and will warrant his work not to be surpassed any where.

☞ Repairing strictly attended to.

Call at the Sign of the MAMMOTH BOOT,
Fayetteville Street.
Raleigh, Sept. 23, 183. 89—

HENRY T. CLAWSON, COACH AND CARRIAGE MANUFACTURER. Also, Manufacturer to Bent Felloes, Shafts, Hubs, Spokes, Poles, Spring Bars, &c., warranted the best quality of Timber.

All manner of Coach work executed in the best style of the art.

Repairing done in the neatest manner and on the shortest notice.

Franklinton, Franklin County, N. C. 97—

$20 REWARD.—RANAWAY FROM THE Subscriber, in the month of May last, a negro slave named PAUL, aged about 25 years, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, with a large mouth and fine teeth—weighs about 150 or 155 pounds. The above reward will be paid for his delivery to me at Raleigh,

M. A. BLEDSOE.
Raleigh, August 25, 1852 81—tf.

GREENSBOROUGH MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—This Company, as its name indicates, is upon the *mutual principle*, and embraces two distinct departments, to wit; Life Insurance and Trust departments. This attractive combination offers to Policy holders double the ordinary security, without destroying their right to a full participation in the entire profits of the Company. Premiums will be received, in cash, either annually, semi-annually or quarterly, as may be agreed upon at the time the Policy is issued.

In the TRUST DEPARTMENT, or Deposit System, the payments made to the Company are entirely optional with the Depositor, as regards the amount and the time at which they are made. A party may pay in as much or as little (not less than one dollar,) and as often as may be convenient for him, without any obligation upon him to continue his payments—and may withdraw them at his pleasure.

So that, on the plan of this Company, there is created at one and the same time an Assurance *payable at death—a fund available in sickness*—and *a provision for old age.*

☞ See pamphlets furnished by the Company.

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY:

DIRECTORS.

Ralph Gorrell, Lyndon Swaim, John A. Gilmer, D. F. Caldwell, Richard Greene, David McLean, Richard Sterling, John M. Logan, D. P. Weir, E. W. Ogburn, Robert M. Sloan, Robert P. Dick, Henry B. Elliott.

OFFICERS.

President—Ralph Gorrell,
Vice-President—Lyndon Swaim,
Secretary and Treasurer—D. P. Weir,
Attorney—John A. Gilmer,
Examining Physician—Edwin Watson, M. D.,
Consulting Physicians—D. C. Mebane, M. D.; J. L. Cole, M. D.; D. P. Weir, M. D.
General Agent—William H. Cumming.

☞ Any information relative to the Company may be had by addressing D. P. WEIR,
Secretary and Treasurer.
February 17, 1853. 27—tf.

NORTH-CAROLINA & NORFOLK.—THE PRACTICAL HATTERS would respectfully call the attention of the "Trade" and "Dealers" to their stock of SPRING AND SUMMER HATS,

the largest and best that has ever been offered in Norfolk, and not surpassed by any, and at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction. They are confident that Merchants will find it to their advantage to call before making their purchases. Those that are willing to extend to us their patronage may rely on having Goods, whether of our own Manufacture or Imported, as Fashionable, Fine and Cheap as any Northern Jobber. We earnestly request Merchants to call and be *convinced* that we are prepared and *will* furnish every thing in our line on the best terms.

Ladies' and Misses' Bonnets in great variety. Canes and Umbrellas wholesale.

CEPHALOMETRON!

This beautiful instrument is considered one of the greatest and most useful inventions of the age. It would be impossible, by the minutest description, to give a correct idea of its utility. Hats made by it will fit the most difficult heads, conforming to every protuberance and depression of the cranium, thus preventing the unpleasant feeling of a new Hat and painful headache. We could give you certificates of Physicians and the experience of the Trade, but prefer that all may examine for themselves. No one can properly appreciate its advantages without having one of our superior Hats.

☞ Hats made to order in the most fashionable manner, and without extra charge.

STEVENS & BUTT,
No. 7 Market Square,
Norfolk, Va.
May 11, 1853. 51—tf.

PETERSBURG CLOTHING BAZAAR.—The subscribers having purchased the entire interest of N. Perry in the above celebrated establishment, respectfully announce to the citizens of North-Carolina that they intend to relax no effort to retain the liberal patronage heretofore received from the numerous customers of the Bazaar in the Old North State.

Manufacturing as we do all our own CLOTHING, and one of the firm being constantly in the market, thus having facilities for purchasing our Cloths, Cassimeres, &c., at first hands, and consequently at the lowest rates, we are enabled to compete in prices with Northern houses, while our garments in point of style and workmanship, are not excelled by those of any other house in the State.

It is unnecessary to enumerate the articles of which our stock is composed; suffice it to say that in our rooms may be found every thing pertaining to men's wear, and furnishing goods of the most recent style and in great variety.

Our Custom Department is constantly supplied with the most desirable goods, and those preferring their garments made to order, can here find a large assortment to select from, and with an efficient force of workmen we can get up a single garment or an entire suit at very short notice. A good fit and perfect satisfaction guarantied in every instance.

Our Wholesale Rooms. Merchants visiting the City should not fail to look through our stock, as we have opened an exclusive Wholesale Room, and manufacture largely, expressly for this branch of our trade.

A. & SHAFER & CO.,
(*Successors to N. Perry.*)
Petersburg, Va., May 5th, 1852. 52—

GREAT EXCITEMENT!—IF YOU WANT TO SAVE A COUPLE HUNDRED DOLLARS, send on your orders for *Turpentine Stills, Caps, Arms and Worms:* also, Brandy Stills, and any kind of Copper work, Brass, Machinery, &c.

The prices of Still-caps, Arms and Worms, are as follows:—(by the pound, 37 cents, or by contract)—

7 barrel Still-cap, Arms and Worms, ... $400
10 " " " 485
12 " " " 525
14 " " " 585
15 " " " 615
16 " " " 650
20 " " " 695
25 " " " 750
30 " " " 850
35 " " " 900

All work will be warranted for 12 months, (fire and burning excepted.) His work will also be delivered within fifty miles of Raleigh, at the shortest notice; and if I fail to deliver Stills in the time agreed upon, I will forfeit $5 for each day lost to the purchaser.

JOSEPH WOLTERING.
Raleigh, Sept. 12, 1851. 90—y.

JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE,—A RICH ASSORTMENT of Fancy Neck, Sash, Hat and Cap Ribbons,
Plain Satin and Lutestring Ribbons, all colors and widths,
French Worked Muslin Undersleeves,
Infants' French Worked Frock Bodies and Caps,
Ladies' French Worked Caps and Collars, a great variety,
" " Mourning and Half-Mourning Collars.
" " Cuffs, Muslins and Dimity Bands,
Real Thread Lace, Insertings and Edgings,
Imitation " " "
Lisle " " "
Bobbin " " "

JAMES McKIMMON.
Raleigh, 1853. 93—

Fall Trade, 1853.

P. F. PESCUD, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER in Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Perfumery, Cigars, &c., is now receiving the *largest* and *most commanding* stock, that he has ever offered to the trade, which will be sold on as reasonable terms as can be obtained at any similar establishment in the South. Physicians and Dealers are cordially invited to examine the quality and prices of my articles before buying elsewhere.

Mr. Pescud takes this occasion to thank those Physicians, Country Merchants, and Contractors who have encouraged his efforts to build up a Wholesale Drug business at Raleigh, and hopes the time is rapidly approaching when it will be a rare occurrence for Dealers to send North for supplies in his line.

☞ Send your orders, for Drugs, &c., P. F. Pescud, Raleigh, if you want them filled promptly, neatly packed, and forwarded with dispatch, *upon terms which will give satisfaction.* P. F. PESCUD.
September 12, 1853. 86—

BALTIMORE PIANO MANUFACTORY.—IMPORTANT IMPROVEMENT—*Elastic Universal Touch.*—Wise & Brother, Manufacturers of Boudoir Square and Grand Pianos, request those wanting a first-rate Instrument—one that Ladies can perform on with the greatest possible advantage, that is chaste of style, of superlative touch and tone, that will stand in concert tune, and last a life time, to call and see for themselves a sample Instrument at the Agent's office—Dr. W. R. Scott's.

These Instruments are more in general use in the Cities among the first critics of art and science, and to whom we have the honor of referring. See the manufacturer's circulars, which may be obtained of the Agent. All Instruments warranted five years.

J. J. Wise & Brother.
Dr. W. R. SCOTT, *Agent.*
Raleigh, January 11th, 1850. 20—tf.

REMOVAL OF THE BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY.—The subscriber begs leave to inform his patrons, and the public in general, that he has moved from Wilmington Street, to the house lately occupied by F. Mahler as a fancy store, West side of the capitol.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore received, he solicits a continuance of the same, promising to use the very best materials and employ only superior workmen.

HENRY A. DEPKIN.
Raleigh, August 29th, 1853. 82—tf.

FORM BOOK.—THE NORTH CAROLINA FORM Book; containing all the most useful forms which occur in business transactions between man and man, as well as in official stations; together with the Constitution of North Carolina and of the United States; the Act fixing the Fees of Clerks, Sheriffs, &c., calculated for the use of the citizens of North Carolina, and made conformable to law. Compiled by a member of the North Carolina Bar.

For sale at the North Carolina Book-Store, by
HENRY D. TURNER.
Raleigh, Aug. 12, 1853. 77—

GOODS FOR EVERY BODY.—GUNNY AND Hemp Bagging,
Brown, Clarified, Crushed and Loaf Sugar,
Rio, Laguira and Old Java Coffee,
Green and Black Tea, very good,
30 Kegs Nails and Brads,

J. BROWN.
Sept. 26, 1853. 90—

CANARY BIRDS AND CAGES, BEAUTIFUL and substantial, for sale at the MUSIC STORE.
Raleigh, July 21, 1853. 71—

IRISH POTATOES.—10 BARRELS SUPERIOR quality, for table use, just received and for sale by
JAS. McKIMMON.

USEUL STATISTICS.

[Carefully compiled for the Standard.]

Government of the United States.

	Salary.
FRANKLIN PIERCE, President,	$25,000
William L. Marcy, of New-York, Secretary of State,	8,000
James Guthrie, of Kentucky, Secretary of Treas